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Esquimalt (night)	E 3113	G 3546
Oak Bay	E 3321	G 3311
Saanich	G 2323	G 4168
Provincial Police (night)		E 1116

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ROMMEL IN RETREAT FROM FALLEN MARETH LINE

New Relays of Big Bombers Smash at Nazi-Held France

Week-End Blasting of St. Nazaire U-Boat Base Leaves City in Flames

LONDON, March 29 (AP).—Smoke still was coiling 15,000 feet high over the great Nazi submarine base at St. Nazaire today, mushrooming from fires estimated to cover a quarter of the battered city, as fresh relays of Allied day bombers shuttled across the Channel toward occupied France in a booming continuation of the new all-out offensive against Hitler's Europe.

Radio stations in Germany and Denmark went off the air long before midnight tonight, indicating that Allied bombers again were on the prowl, keeping up the 'round-the-clock attacks.

The Air Ministry, in describing last night's forty-sixth raid on St. Nazaire as "heavy and concentrated," indicated that the attack probably was as destructive as that of February 28, when 1,000 tons of Britain's heaviest bombs shattered and burned the same target.

Visibility for last night's assault on the big U-boat nest was excellent, and R.A.F. crewmen said their bombs struck squarely on the docks and left large fires raging, which were visible long after they left the target.

"There were seven large fires merging together," one pilot related. "They seemed to be bubbling and seething. The whole attack was remarkably concentrated."

HUGE EXPLOSION AT END OF DOCKS

Many crews described a huge explosion at the southern end of the docks, accompanied by a burst of orange flame and clouds of black smoke, indicating that a bomb had

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Montreal Tied Up By Strike

Street Cars and Buses Unavailable

MONTREAL, March 29 (CP).—Thousands of Montrealers plodded homeward on foot tonight as the tie-up of street cars and buses that resulted from a strike of Montreal Tramways Company employees remained airtight.

As the strike approached the end of its first full day, there was no evidence that either side in the dispute had made any move toward a settlement.

At West End Atwater Market, a mass meeting of strikers—said by union officials to number about 3,000—moved toward completion of its twenty-fourth hour, and spokesmen for the workers said it would continue "even if the strike lasts a week."

Tramways officials were silent, except for a statement issued by General Manager D. E. Blair which presented the company's side of the dispute but made no mention of any attempts at a settlement.

Various companies in the city and on the outskirts put hasty plans into effect to pick up their workers in private vehicles and many hundreds of other workers "thumbed" lifts in passing autos. All such makeshift measures amounted to only a drop in the bucket, however, compared with the hordes who walked five to ten miles twice today, while other thousands called it quits when they learned of the situation this morning and stayed home.

MAKE BID FOR GAS WITHOUT COUPONS

The worry of car owners over their dwindling gas supplies prompted the Royal Automobile Club of Canada to telegraph Oil Controller Cottrelle in Toronto, suggesting that service stations be authorized to sell gas without ration coupons for the duration of the strike. Mr. Cottrelle replied that such a step could not be taken.

One tram operator was treated in hospital for facial cuts after he attempted to take a street car out of a picketed barn; two pickets

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Wheat Makes Subject for Chief Debate

Claim Prices Fail To Benefit Farmer

OTTAWA, March 29 (CP).—Western members tossed wheat problems into the limelight of House of Commons discussion today with claims that farmers had failed to benefit from improved prices and that Liberal policies on farm prices differed in the Saskatchewan Legislature and in the House of Commons.

The discussion arose on a motion to go into committee to study estimates. P. E. Wright (C.C.F., Melfort), a Prairie farmer, moved an amendment to the motion asking that, before 1943-44 crop year policies as enunciated by the Government are made effective, they should be revised to bring them "into conformity with the needs of agriculture." Only by such amendments could agriculture make its full contribution to the war effort, Mr. Wright said.

He declared that, because of the improved prices in the United States, grain exporters could make good profits. But this benefit was not being passed on to the farmer, who could only market wheat when he had sufficient to make up a carload.

ONLY SPECULATORS GET ADVANTAGE

"My information is that cars are not available and that speculators who have bought wheat at 90 cents or 90½ cents a bushel during the early part of the season are the only ones who are able to take advantage of this rise in the United States market," Mr. Wright said.

Later, a similar statement was

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Meat Rationing Started on Pacific Coast

SAN FRANCISCO, March 29 (AP).—Excellent public co-operation and adequate supplies of meat started meat rationing off smoothly on the Pacific Coast today, Guy Kinsley, regional food rationing representative of the Office of Prices Administration, said.

Kinsley said a telephone check of twelve cities in the three Pacific Coast States revealed a "very excellent start on a very difficult programme." He commended housewives and butchers for their "fine spirit of co-operation."

Kinsley's city-by-city report included:

San Francisco—Plenty of meat to care for all orders.

Los Angeles—No complaints; all stamps honored.

Portland, Corvallis, Eugene, Salem and Medford—Plenty of meat on all retail counters; all ration stamps honored fully; no great buying rush.

Seattle—A small percentage in one area could not obtain meat because of Office of Defence Transportation regulations restricting deliveries, but in most sections there was an ample supply.

Eleven Killed in Washington Crash

EPHRATA, Wash., March 29 (AP).—Eleven army airmen died early today in the crash of a four-motored bomber four miles north of the Ephrata air base, Warrant Officer Harry Verner, base public relations officer, announced tonight. There were no survivors.

The crash occurred during a routine training mission and the cause was not determined, Verner said.

CARDINAL DIES

LONDON, March 29 (CP).—Cardinal Ermenegildo Pellegrinetti, a distinguished Vatican diplomat and once secretary to the late Pope Pius XI, died in Rome late tonight, the Rome radio said in a broadcast recorded by The Associated Press.

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Rommel on the Run Again

Every strongpoint of the Axis Mareth Line in Tunisia is in British hands, along with 6,000 of Rommel's troops, as the once famed German Afrika Korps again is in headlong flight before the Eighth Army. The above map shows the location of Mareth fortifications, of Gabes, which was heavily bombarded yesterday by Allied warships, and of Mareth and Matmata, key towns taken by the Allies.

Fighting Is Violent in Advance on Smolensk

Russians Make Slow but Steady Progress—Nazi Plunge Across Donets River Turned Back

LONDON, March 29 (CP).—Violent fighting rages on the muddy approaches to Smolensk, with the Russians making slow but stubborn new advances toward that powerful German stronghold, while Soviet lines along the Donets to the South are holding firm under minor German attack, Moscow reported tonight.

The Red Army thrusts on the western front burst into a number of Nazi strongpoints, with particularly severe fighting at a strongly-fortified German centre of resistance south of Bely on one of the main directional roads to Smolensk, the midnight communique as recorded by the Soviet radio monitor declared.

Meanwhile, on the southern front another German plunge to cross the Donets River south of Kharkov was smashed back, with 200 Germans killed by "fire from all types of arms," the war bulletin said.

THIRD UNSUCCESSFUL NAZI ASSAULT

This was the third unsuccessful Nazi assault reported in twenty-four hours in this sector of the middle reaches of the Donets, where Russian lines apparently have stiffened against the German counter-offensive.

The communique described the fighting in the Smolensk area as largely operations of local significance and gave this account of the stubbornness of the battle:

Red Army troops attacking one strongpoint south of Bely, about eighty-five miles northeast of Smolensk, drove a wedge into the German defences, and another Soviet detachment, swinging around behind the Nazis, made a surprise attack. The communique added:

"After a brief engagement a con-

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Use Unfairly Japanese of U.S. Birth

Judge Declares Rights Violated

SAN FRANCISCO, March 29 (AP).—The exclusion of American citizens of Japanese ancestry from the Pacific Coast is in effect deportation "without trial for their immediate imprisonment" and a violation of their constitutional rights, Judge William Denman, of the United States Circuit Court, declared today.

"We are destroying their businesses, in effect, as if such citizens were enemy aliens," the jurist said in dissenting to the majority vote of the court which certified to the United States Supreme Court, last Saturday, two cases testing the constitutionality of the exclusion order.

Judge Denman said American-born Japanese should no more be classified as "treacherous" because of the Pearl Harbor attack than Americans of ninety years ago might be called treacherous because of Commodore Perry's belligerent demonstration in Tokio Harbor, when he compelled Japan to open her commerce to Yankee Clipper captains.

"Under the threat of penitentiary sentences to these 80,000 American citizens who have relied on the right they believe the Constitution gives them, we are driving them from their homes to internment camps; not men alone, as with the deportation of the Dutch by the Germans, but their wives and children, without giving the latter the choice to remain in their homes," the judge said.

Judge Denman objected to the Circuit Court's procedure in certifying the two Japanese-American test cases to the Supreme Court, saying that the Circuit Court was fully able to decide the question.

The cases involved Rordon Kiyoshi Hirabayashi, of Seattle, and Minoru Yasui, of Portland. Hirabayashi appealed from a conviction of curfew law violation and Yasui, former attache of the Japanese Consulate in Chicago, from a penalty assessed for refusing to report to a relocation camp.

Award for B.C. Flyer

LONDON, March 29 (CP).—Flt. Lt. Arthur Charles Cochrane, of Vernon, B.C., has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross, it was announced Sunday night. An earlier dispatch erroneously said the award had been made to Flt. Lt. Arthur Charles.

Flt. Lt. Cochrane has destroyed seven enemy aircraft and his citation said that since he joined his squadron last August he has been a "most capable and keen pilot and flight commander. One night last January in moonlight he destroyed a three-engined enemy aircraft, bringing his total victories to seven."

Discuss Plans Laid for Allies At Casablanca

WASHINGTON, March 29 (AP).—Plans of Allied strategists for ultimate destruction of Japanese military power have been discussed in detail at an extraordinary conference of the Army-Navy Command with fifteen high-ranking officers from Pacific war zones.

The War Department disclosed today the meeting, held in Washington, began three weeks ago at the call of the United States joint chiefs of staff. It was called to "acquaint commanders in the Pacific with the policies and plans decided upon at the recent Casablanca conference which concern the future actions in which their theatres will be involved."

No hint of the nature of plans for an offensive was contained in the brief announcement, but it was recalled that the decisions of the Casablanca conference already had been reported to commanders in China and India by General H. H. Arnold, commanding the army air forces, and Field Marshal Sir John Dill, British member of the combined chiefs of staff in Washington.

BERGERET APPOINTED

LONDON, March 29 (CP).—An Algiers radio broadcast recorded by The Associated Press said today that Gen. Jean Marie Bergeret, whose resignation as Gen. Henri Giraud's deputy in command of civilian affairs in French North Africa was announced March 16, had been appointed commander of air forces in French West Africa.

From Europe Day by Day—

THE TIMES, London

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LONDON, March 29.—The Eighth Army has driven back the Axis forces in the region of El Hamma, and have reached the outskirts of that town. The battle for the Mareth Line continues, with the British taking more prisoners. The British First Army has made gains in the north—gains admitted by Berlin.

According to the special correspondent of The Times, the Royal Air Force has given superb support to the ground troops and done much to enable them to break through at El Hamma. Though the weather over the week-end checked air activity, the Royal Air Force was able to bomb enemy transport heavily, the Sfax docks and other targets which were left in flames.

British forces are now only sixteen miles from Gabes after a week of incessant fighting. However, before the British can capture this important port much more hard fighting is expected.

Heavy air battles also characterize the Russian front, where there are small-scale operations around Yartsevo, on the road to Smolensk and on the Donets, where the Nazis continue attempts to cross the river. The thaw which has so hampered the Red Army lately has spread rapidly northward across Russia, and the Nazis are seeking around Bielyi to disengage their main forces leaving heavily-armed rearguards to hold villages and hilltops, all of which are heavily mined.

In the air, aircraft have a big share in the fighting and the Nazis are suffering considerably. General Maslennikov attacks mainly at night, and the Germans are gradually losing ground.

Alexander Yakovlev, famous aircraft designer, has promised Stalin a new Yak machine which he says will excell anything yet seen in this war.

Commenting editorially on the Eden conversations at Washington, The Times says he has been attempting to define with the greatest precision possible the highest common factor of agreement between two governments, ignoring no difficulties. The discussions have necessarily been tentative and the main object has been to prepare the ground for wider exchanges.

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Says Accused Sought Help Of Co-Worker

Hearing of Simmons Appeal Continues

VANCOUVER, March 29 (CP).—Crown Counsel W. C. Moresby said in Court of Appeal today that Leonard James Simmons, former quartermaster of the British Columbia Provincial Police, did a "scandalous thing" in attempting to persuade a fellow employee to falsify requisitions.

The court is hearing the appeals of Simmons and John Graham Simpson, Victoria shoe merchant, against convictions on charges of conspiracy to defraud the Provincial Government in connection with police boot purchases.

Mr. Moresby said that in October or November, 1941, Simmons approached a fellow employee in the quartermaster's stores and wanted him to mark a pair of high boots on all Summer requisitions for clothing.

"He tried to get his fellow employee, Leonard, to do a deceitful act," declared Crown counsel. "It was a scandalous thing. Leonard refused."

NONE CONTAINED IN SUMMER ISSUE

Mr. Moresby said there were no high boots contained in the Summer issue.

Discussing the records Mr. Moresby stated that Simpson's firm, James Maynard, Ltd., had no high boots to deliver between September 1, 1936, to December 15, 1941, the period covered by the charge, and that orders for high boots were fictitious and a fraud on the Government.

Even if books were excluded from the trial, there remained evidence connecting the Maynard firm with the charge, Crown counsel contended. Simpson, he added, was a director and in charge of the company.

BLYTH, Worksop, Notts, March 29 (CP).—Viscount Galway, sixty-one, Governor-General of New Zealand from, 1935-41, died Sunday after a brief illness at his home here.

Every Strongpoint in Hands of British Army

Intensify War in Air In Pacific

Allied and Enemy Bombers Active

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN AUSTRALIA, March 30 (Tuesday) (AP).—Six Japanese bombers slashed at the Allied base of Oro Bay on New Guinea Monday, the Allied High Command reported today, staging their second successive attack in two days, and giving more point to recent warnings of increasing enemy aerial strength.

The bombers attacked at night, causing "slight damage and no casualties," said the noon communique.

In the Sunday attack, the Japanese sent forty planes at the port, losing thirteen and perhaps twenty-five to Allied defenders.

In the Kai Islands, 500 miles north of Darwin, Allied bombers pounded the Japanese-occupied town of Toeal.

"Our medium units executed a low-level bombing and strafing attack, starting fires that were visible for fifteen miles," the noon communique said.

"Returning to base, our planes strafed the enemy-occupied villages of Langgoer and Wabsek."

The Japanese airdromes at Gasmata and Cape Gloucester again were subjected to raids by Allied bombers, while other planes bombed the harbor at Madang, 300 miles up the coast from Buna.

Other targets attacked by Allied planes yesterday and last night included villages in the Salidor area, Lae.

In the Dododura area Allied fighters intercepted and destroyed a Japanese bomber.

Slight damage and no casualties resulted from the Monday raid on Oro Bay, the communique said.

Decide to End Packing Strike

WINNIPEG, March 29 (CP).—Nine hundred employees of Canada Packers, Limited, St. Boniface, decided tonight they would end a half-day sit-down strike and return to work tomorrow providing the management agreed to four conditions.

The employees, members of the United Packinghouse Workers of America, C.I.O., Local 215, agreed on the four conditions at a mass meeting tonight. They were:

That Angus Ross, discharged for two weeks, would be immediately reinstated.

That all employees who stopped work today be paid.

That changes be made in the present plant relations committee which deals with grievances concerning union members.

That negotiations begin immediately between the company's management and the union for taking a vote of the employees on the question of union recognition.

BULLETINS

GREAT PLANT DESTROYED

LONDON, March 30 (Tuesday) (CP).—Reuter's News Agency said today in a dispatch datelined "Inside Europe" that it was reported that the head offices of the famous I. G. Farbenindustrie, Germany's great dye and chemical trust, occupying an entire block, had been destroyed in the R.A.F.'s raid on Berlin Saturday night.

BERLIN HEAVILY BOMBED

LONDON, March 30 (Tuesday) (CP).—The R.A.F. bombed Berlin last night for the second time in three nights and also attacked targets in the Ruhr Valley, the British announced today. The German radio reported this morning that twenty-two of the British raiders had been shot down—a claim that was taken here as an indication that the raid was carried out in heavy force.

FRANK GILLMORE DEAD

NEW YORK, March 29 (AP).—Leading figures of the American legitimate stage will pay final tribute Wednesday to Frank Gillmore, seventy-five, a militant leader and one of the founders of Actor's Equity Association, who died today. The funeral services will be held at noon Wednesday.

Key Towns Taken--6,000 Germans Prisoners--Gabes Shelled From Sea

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, NORTH AFRICA, March 29 (AP).—Rommel and his troops were in retreat tonight from the fallen Mareth Line, and as shells and bombs turned his coastal retreat path into a perilous gauntlet, Allied warships slipped close into shore and heavily bombarded the Gabes area twenty miles north of the pulverized fortifications.

Extreme pressure from a flanking column of the British Eighth Army which cut around to the Axis rear forced the Nazi marshal and the troops he had left of the original 80,000 to leave the devil's cauldron which was the Mareth Line. The victory came after eight days of the most grueling battle this continent has ever known.

Every strongpoint of the little Maginot fortifications in Southern Tunisia was in British hands, including the key towns of Mareth, Toujane and Matmata, as well as 6,000 of the Nazi marshal's troops.

GABES IN PERIL FROM TWO SIDES

Gabes, important east coast supply port, was in imminent peril, not only from the victorious Eighth Army troops, which fought their way through the—thick defences, but from a column which flanked the Mareth Line and reached El Hamma and a position fifteen miles west of Gabes. The frontal conquerors of the Mareth Line were but twenty miles south of Gabes.

Farther north, American divisions advanced through difficult country east of El Guetar and stood on high ground ready to attack Rommel's flanks should he try to flee the 200 miles north for a junction with Col.-Gen. Jurgen von Arnim in the north around Tunis and Bizerte.

Other American columns menacing Mezzouna and Kairouan farther north likewise imperilled the Germans and Italians with entrapment and consequent slaughter.

There were indications the enemy realized the threat to his flank and was intent upon racing up the coast to momentary safety, if he could. Front line dispatches said enemy landing fields west of Gabes had been ploughed up, a sure indication of flight.

FIRST ARMY OPENS ASSAULT

The Allied offensive in Tunisia became general as the British First Army in the north opened an assault from the Djebel Abiod sector, smashing against German positions straddling the Tarbaca-Mateur Road. The Allied communique said "successful local advances were made and a considerable number of prisoners were taken."

Among Allied troops participating were the Goums, pig-tailed warriors from Northern Morocco, under French officers.

A French communique said the Goums and Allied troops had cap-

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New Commander

SIR T. L. LEIGH-MALLORY

New commander-in-chief of the R.A.F. Fighter Command. He succeeds Sir Sholto Douglas.

Liquor Ration Plan Explained

Ottawa Spokesman Answers McGavin

OTTAWA, March 29 (CP).—A Government spokesman said tonight that the Federal Government has allocated supplies of alcoholic beverages to the provinces on the basis of the amounts sold in each province in the year ending October 31, 1942, and from then on the equitable distribution of the stocks has been "up to the provinces."

He was commenting upon an exchange of letters between Mayor Andrew McGavin, of Victoria, and Prime Minister Mackenzie King in which Mr. McGavin said the amount of spirits available in Quebec and Ontario was higher than on the Pacific Coast.

The spokesman said no discrimination had been practised by the Federal Government in allotting supplies, and added that British Columbia's demand for a Federal system of liquor rationing arose because that province had experienced a heavy increase of population since the start of the war, and with more money in circulation there was a greater demand for liquor.

Mme. Chiang Appeals To U.S. Union Men

SAN FRANCISCO, March 29 (AP).—Passionately and dynamically, Madame Chiang Kai-Shek called upon labor at a mass meeting tonight to co-operate within its own group and increase production to win the war.

Speaking at a suddenly-scheduled mass meeting of the A.F.L., C.I.O., Maritime Union and the Railroad Brotherhoods, the first lady of China declared her message for American labor was "unity is strength," and added:

"You must first win this war and that at the earliest possible moment. Your task is not one whit less important than that of the fighting man at the front."

She spoke in impassioned tones, her voice rising at times.

BROWN HOUSE BLASTED

LONDON, March 30 (Tuesday) (CP).—R.A.F. bombers blasted the Brown House, headquarters of the Nazi party, during the concentrated attack on Munich, March 9, in which about fifty blocks of commercial buildings were burned and extensive damage caused to military establishments, the Air Ministry announced today. The ministry said the top floor of the Brown House, where Hitler had a small office containing busts of Napoleon and Mussolini and where the Nazi Assembly Hall was located, was burned out.

Bodies From Island Crash Brought Out

Five R.A.F. Men Found in Wreckage

NANAIMO, March 29 (CP).—Bodies of five members of crew of an R.A.F. medium bombing plane which had been missing since December on a navigational flight up the east coast of Vancouver Island were lying in undertaking parlors here tonight following discovery of the wreckage of the craft in a dense clump of trees seven miles inland and about fifteen miles north of Nanaimo on Sunday.

The wreckage was found by Duncan and Fred Craig, of Craig's Crossing, who were hunting cougars. The bodies of the airmen were inside the cabin. Last week a portion of the tail elevator was found in a tree about four miles off the main highway in Nanoose district.

A bulldozer, borrowed from a logging company, was utilized to break trail to the scene of the crash.

Freak Plane Crash Kills Three Airmen

HUMBOLDT, Sask., March 29 (CP).—Three occupants of a training plane from the Bombing and Gunnery School at Dafoe, Sask., were killed today when the machine crashed and struck a team of horses pulling a load of straw. Fourth occupant of the plane bailed out and parachuted to safety.

The driver of the team, Louis Pahl, was seriously burned when the straw caught fire. Both horses were killed.

The plane crashed on Pahl's farm, six miles southeast of Humboldt. The machine hit the ground near the load of hay and bounced into it.

Pahl's three-year-old son jumped from the load and escaped injury.

British Army Crossed Punishing Stretch of Desert in Record Time

Correspondent Tells of Amazing Feat of Tank Corps in Montgomery's Greatest Gamble of War

By DON WHITEHEAD
Associated Press Staff Writer

WITH THE BRITISH EIGHTH ARMY WEST OF GABES, March 28 (Delayed) (AP). — In his biggest gamble of the entire African campaign, Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery has outfoxed the "fox of the desert" by one of the boldest and most daring manoeuvres accomplished by the Eighth Army in its campaign to drive Marshal Rommel out of North Africa.

Strong elements of British troops outflanked the Mareth Line through a wild fringe of the Sahara Desert country, across which it seemed impossible for an army to move.

I have just come across this waterless wasteland which Rommel apparently thought could never be crossed by armor. Never in the almost 2,000-mile advance from El Alamein have I seen country which punishes men and machines more than this land.

But the Eighth Army accomplished the final phases of the move in a spectacular dash at almost unbelievable speed.

GREATEST GAMBLE YET TAKEN

It wasn't a case of playing safe and taking no chances—not this move. It was the greatest gamble Gen. Montgomery had taken—a cool, calculated gamble which forced Rommel to divide his army into two parts in Southern Tunisia.

Three weeks ago a force went around the Matmata Hills and then toward Gabes, pioneering the wasteland.

When the Germans repulsed the break-through in the Mareth Line March 23, Gen. Montgomery made a quick decision.

Part of the armor and infantry was ordered to move swiftly from their Mareth positions. The move began at night on March 23, so that enemy observers in the Matmata Hills could not see the columns of transports, tanks and guns swarming south toward Foum Tatahouine and around the flank of the mountains forming part of the Mareth Line.

And on March 26 when the armor arrived here, the battle plan was already made and the tanks were sent in to attack the Germans and Italians holding Melab Gap, twenty miles south of El Hamma and thirty miles from the sea.

After crossing some 200 miles of the desert along the trail of the ancient camel caravans, the armor went into the attack. Within forty-eight hours it had taken at least 3,000 prisoners.

The sudden move threatened to cut Rommel's army in half and isolate the enemy holding the Mareth Line from those around Gabes.

With two British and one Australian correspondents, I arrived at this point amazed that an army could travel so swiftly across the desert.

The trip took us three hard, jolting days of rough riding, which ended with our battered car being towed into advance headquarters and the four of us wondering if we were going to have to follow the rest of this campaign at the end of a tow rope. During our journey we faced the Khamseen steady, monotonous, nerve-rasping winds which fog the air with sand and fill your eyes, nostrils, ears and hair with fine powdered dust.

Sand gritted in your teeth with every bite of food, and rasped the eyeballs each time you blinked your eyes.

The way troops and armor moved across that punishing route was so fast as to be almost unbelievable and was one of the finest pieces of desert manoeuvring in this war.

Rommel Retreats

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tured 400 prisoners and cleaned out a large area. Strong French reconnaissance patrols in the Ousseltia Valley farther south, were said to have advanced toward the east branch of the Grand Dorsal, encountering no determined opposition.

FINAL ATTACKS STARTED FRIDAY

The final assault that cracked the Mareth Line started during the afternoon of Friday. Allied Headquarters credited the flanking column which swept around the line with generating the pressure that caused its fall. The communique said:

"On the Eighth Army front the attack which was launched on the afternoon of March 26 on the enemy's strong position south of El Hamma has forced the enemy to withdraw from the Mareth area. This attack, with the powerful and very effective support of our air forces, caused the enemy heavy losses in tanks, guns, motor transport and men. Many Germans were taken prisoner.

"Fierce fighting continued in this area during March 27, with our troops making good progress. The whole of the strong organized defences of the Mareth position are now in our hands and our troops on March 28 occupied Mareth, Toujane and Matmata. Prisoners taken by the Eighth Army since March 20 now total over 6,000."

Thus the superb British team of generals, Sir Bernard L. Montgomery and Sir Harold Alexander, again had proved to be Rommel's Nemesis.

The El Hamma area had been defended by some of the best German troops, but even these elite fighters were thrown into confusion under the terrific Allied air attack of Friday afternoon. The bombing and strafing were so intense that the Germans broke under the strain and left behind large quantities of guns, tanks and undamaged vehicles.

PROBABLY 100 VEHICLES DESTROYED

From eighty to 100 vehicles were destroyed near El Hamma on Friday night in the attack so closely coordinated that bombs from one raid still were bursting when the next wave of Allied planes reached the target. The nervous Germans were then subjected to artillery barrage and then to rifle and bayonet attack. There was little fight left in them when the final assault was launched.

The column that reached El Hamma made a difficult 100-mile march through deserts and mountains while the main Eighth Army force kept the Mareth Line under heat, particularly near the northern coastal anchor. There was no confirmation of an Algiers radio report that the Eighth Army was in El Hamma, but there was little reason to doubt it. Even yesterday, the British troops were reported in the outskirts of the village.

On the basis of latest official reports, the Germans still clung to Gabes tonight, but the British forces were pushing in on two sides and the port was considered extremely vulnerable.

The storming of the Mareth Line eclipsed in violence the battles that broke the Axis defences at El Alamein on the approaches of Alexandria. It took Montgomery nine days to do the job in Egypt, and one day less to crack the stronger positions in Tunisia. Cracking the Mareth Line involved such Herculean tasks as constructing a road and bridging the Wadi Zigzaou under heavy enemy fire. At points on the steep embankments of the enemy's side of the gulch, British infantry scaled the wall with ladders.

CONTINUING ATTACK THROUGHOUT TUNISIA

Despite bad weather, Allied air forces continued their attack throughout Tunisia on both enemy formations and communications. They shot down four planes yesterday and lost two. The heaviest bombing was at Gabes.

With the 6,000 prisoners captured in the Mareth area and others seized by the Americans and French in the centre and the British First Army in the north, the total Allied bag of captives since mid-March was estimated at 10,000.

Allied spearheads were sinking into Axis positions all along the Grand Dorsal, Tunisia's mountainous backbone. The enemy forces which Prime Minister Churchill estimated at 250,000 nearly a month ago, could envisage only fighting with their backs to the sea and without the hope of a Dunkerque withdrawal because the Allied fleet under Admiral of the Fleet Sir Andrew B. Cunningham controls the waters.

The Fighting French radio at Brazzaville said the Americans were encountering stiffer Axis resistance in the El Guetar region and that the French and Americans were advancing toward the coast from recaptured Fondouk.

Official detail was lacking on the week-end bombardment of the Gabes area. The supply port nearest the Mareth Line must by now be a "sorry sight since it has been attacked repeatedly by Allied air forces.

Just north of Gabes is a narrow fifteen-mile strip of land between the sea and the marshy extremity of the Djebel Shott, known as the Gabes Gap.

REMINISCENT OF EL ALAMEIN

The Mareth victory was reminiscent of the El Alamein classic for here again Gen. Montgomery used the Eighth Army as a battering ram against the strongest Axis fortifications. The Mareth fighting surpassed in fury anything at El Alamein.

The battle proper began Saturday night, March 20, with the heaviest air attacks and artillery fire ever laid down in Africa. The real decision came late last Friday, however, when the flanking British column, which Sir Bernard had sent around the southern end of the Mareth Line, defeated the cream of Rommel's troops at El Hamma. The Mareth Line became untenable and Rommel started running. For two and one-half hours, wave upon wave of Allied planes assaulted the Axis concentration at El Hamma until it broke.

While the desert column had been outflanking the Mareth Line, a frontal attack was unloosed in the coastal area around Zarat, between the main coastal road and the sea. This opening drive of the offensive eight days ago was a prodigious effort because the enemy was solidly entrenched and the steep Wadi Zigzaou had to be bridged and crossed under artillery and machine-gun fire.

By March 23 a bridgehead had been forced in the line, but the Germans counter-attacked fiercely and drove the gallant attackers back across the "Highway to Hell."

The British forces continued the battle with a terrific artillery shelling and struck again and again at the front of the line in conjunction with the thrust at the rear in the El Hamma sector. This time the entire Mareth Line collapsed.

GREATER ASSISTANCE FROM AIR FORCES

The greatest assistance the Eighth Army had in its Mareth triumph came from the air forces which waged attacks with large forces, not only at the enemy in the front areas but at shipping and rear communications as well.

North Africa has never before seen an air war of such intensity. Every kind of bomber and fighter plane was thrown into the fray. The pilots were on a record number of missions operating a daily shuttle bombing service over the main targets.

The German air force, though inferior in both strength and spirit, appeared in considerable force at times, precipitating numerous air combats in which enemy losses exceeded Allied costs.

An indication of the type of support Allied planes gave to ground troops came with disclosure of details of how the most advanced Western Desert fighter-bomber group came to the relief of the Fighting French outpost of Gen. Le Clerc's force at Ksar Rhilane, southwest of the Mareth Line, three weeks ago. In the three weeks, the group destroyed three armored cars, thirty-six flame-throwers, two gun posts and many other vehicles.

The Tunisian fighting began late in November when the British First Army, with a few American units, struck in the north and got within fifteen miles of Tunis and twenty miles of Bizerte.

Montreal Tied Up

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claimed that they received scratches and bruises in leaping out of the way of a bus that somebody attempted to drive out of an East End barn, and tramway officials reported that somebody had removed a switch-point from an intersection.

The marathon meeting at Atwater Market had heard seventy-five speakers and entertainers by 6 o'clock tonight, and eighteen-year-old Marcel Perron was still functioning as master of ceremonies after an eighteen-hour stretch.

OTTAWA, March 29 (CP).—Labor Minister Mitchell tonight announced appointment of Dr. H. Carl Goldenberg, director of economics for the Munitions Department, as a special commissioner under the Industrial Disputes Investigation Act to inquire into the Montreal tramways strike.

The appointment was made with the co-operation of Munitions Minister Howe, said Mr. Mitchell.

Bishop Sexton Gives Talk on Rehabilitation

At a public meeting on Friday evening in the S.L.A.A. Hall, Shawnigan Lake, under the auspices of the Malahat Board of Trade, Rt. Rev. Dr. H. E. Sexton addressed an appreciative audience on the subject of "Rehabilitation."

Dr. Sexton denounced the present social order as having as its root principle competition for private gain. Averring that the good he can render to his community should be a good citizen's first thought, Dr. Sexton quoted: "Service is the rent we pay for our room on earth." Referring to the industrial policy for the church laid down at the Lambeth Conference of Anglican Bishops held in 1920, Bishop Sexton showed how the church had taken the lead in a desire for a fundamental change.

Dr. Sexton favored government by a group whose first interests should be those of their country. Slums, unemployment, private ownership of the means of production, excessive inequality, class distinctions based mainly on wealth were some of the fruits, the speaker declared, of the social order which will be changed by common consent or revolution.

In planning reconstruction, Dr. Sexton called on the leaders of the church to lead the way, asserting that what is needed to work reform is a large body of earnest Christian people. "A determined minority," he said, "can usually get its own way." In closing Dr. Sexton warned his hearers that the Christian who really believes the principles on which he has been brought up will have to be prepared to endure sacrifice to bring about reform, and to give more than lip service to the command: "Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself." R. P. Weber, president of the board, acted as chairman.

Mrs. J. H. Dorman, Pioneer, Passes

One of Victoria's earliest pioneer citizens passed away last night in the person of Mrs. Jane Hamilton Dorman, eighty-three years, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. G. Cartwright, corner of Marigold and Snowdrop Avenues, Marigold.

Mrs. Dorman, who was the widow of W. H. Dorman, former inspector of postoffices for British Columbia, was born in Bridge-of-Allan, Scotland, and came to Victoria in 1869. She was a member of the Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire and a former member of the executive board of the British Columbia Protestant Orphanage. She was an ardent worker for the Red Cross Society in the first Great War, and also in the present war.

She is survived by four sons, A. A. Dorman and O. H. Dorman, of this city; Dr. (Capt.) A. J. Dorman, with the Dental Corps attached to the R.C.A.F. at Vancouver, and W. K. Dorman, Cornwall, Ont., and two daughters, Mrs. M. V. MacKenzie, Victoria, and Mrs. G. Cartwright, at Marigold.

Funeral services will be held on Thursday at 3:15 p.m. in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, the minister, Rev. J. L. W. McLean officiating. Interment will be in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery. Hayward's B.C. Funeral Co. are in charge of arrangements.

CATHOLIC PUBLISHER DIES

LONDON, Ont., March 29 (CP).—Robert Muir Burns, seventy-eight, managing director of The Catholic Record, died at his home here Sunday.

Famed Pianist Dies in South

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif., March 29 (AP).—Sergei V. Rachmaninoff, sixty-nine, Russian pianist, conductor and composer, died Sunday at his home here.

His physician, Dr. Alexander Golitzin, said the musician became ill a few weeks ago while on tour in the East. The doctor said death was caused by pneumonia, pleurisy and complications.

Just last February 1, Rachmaninoff and his wife, Natalie, became American citizens, obtaining their naturalization papers in New York Federal Court.

The towering Russian symphonist, with his slight stoop and close-cropped gray hair, had been a familiar figure on the concert stage for about forty-five years. He was conceded to be one of the greatest living pianists.

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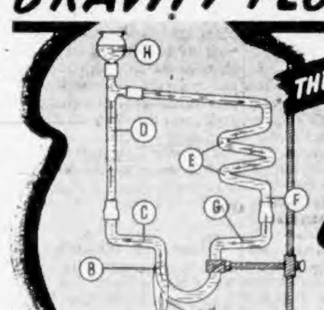

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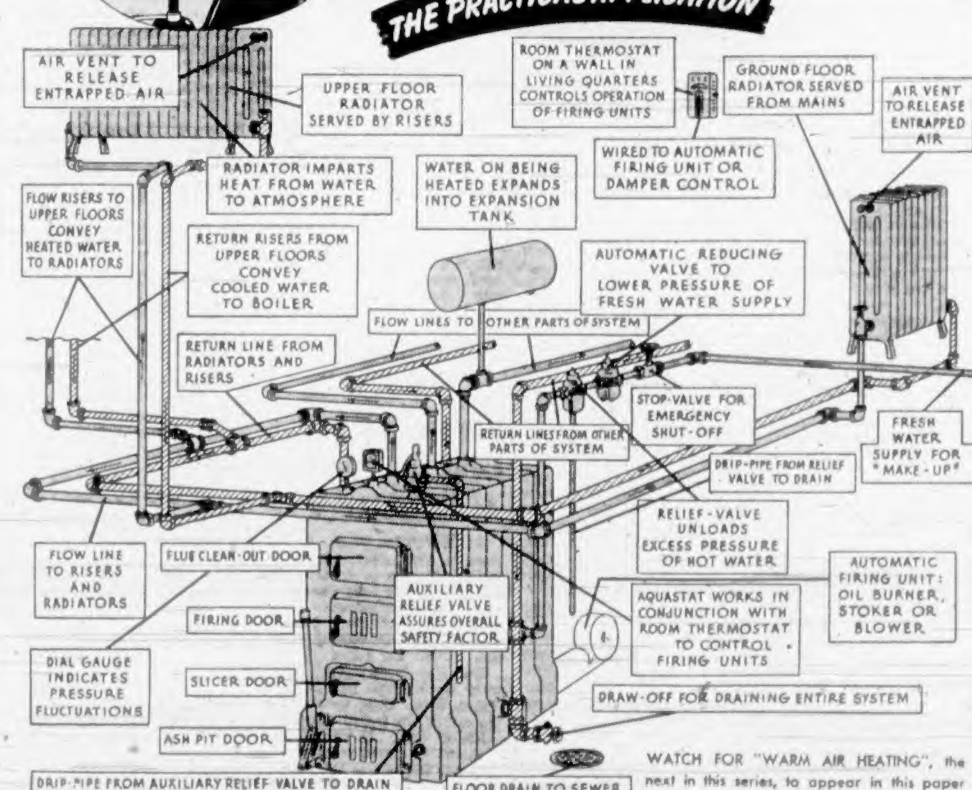

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The purpose of this column in each advertisement in this series, is to provide a glossary of correct equipment terms and brief descriptions of the functions of various fixtures and accessories related to different systems.

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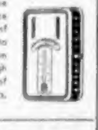
PRESSURE GAUGE—An instrument for indicating the internal pressure within a system. Usually this takes the form of a "hand" pointing to figures around a dial, showing, for instance, the pressure in pounds per square inch.

CLOSED EXPANSION TANK—An air-tight tank provided to accommodate the increased volume of water in the system due to heating. Being compressible, the air in the tank permits the water to pass in and out according to fluctuations in water temperature.

RELIEF VALVE—A safety device which automatically relieves pressure in a system to safeguard equipment against excessive pressure.

AUXILIARY RELIEF VALVE—An overall safety unit of large capacity provided to unload a system when the maximum safe pressure limits have been exceeded; a final precaution against failure of other controls or safety devices in the system.


THERMOSTAT (Thermo from the Greek thermē, heat)—A device actuated by the temperature of surrounding air and designed to control the maximum and minimum temperature of an area through mechanical or electrical means of governing damper, firing units, or other controls.

AQUASTAT ("Aqua" from the Latin for Water)—An apparatus actuated by the temperature of water and designed to control the maximum and minimum temperature of the water to be heated, by governing the operation of heating units or dampers.

RADIATOR—A piece of equipment designed to perform the exchange of heat from a heating medium such as water or steam to the surrounding air. It does this in two ways: (1) heat by radiation, like heat from the sun; (2) heat by conduction, like putting one's hand on a hot stove.

RADIATOR AIR VENT—A small hand operated valve for discharging air from radiators, to assure their being completely filled to the top with water.

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City Council Requests Ottawa To Provide Sufficient Labor To Produce and Deliver Fuel

Aldermen Ask Oak Bay, Saanich, Esquimalt And Vancouver to Support Urgent Plea

A REQUEST that the Federal Government immediately provide sufficient manpower to produce and distribute fuel, even though it might be necessary to close non-essential industries to do so, was air-mailed to Ottawa yesterday afternoon by the City Council on motion of Alderman W. Lloyd Morgan, chairman of the fuel committee.

It was also agreed to ask Oak Bay, Saanich, Esquimalt and Vancouver to support the plea, a copy of which was also mailed to Mr. Justice A. M. Manson, chairman of the draft board.

Alderman Morgan reported that nine cars of Lethbridge lump coal would be shipped weekly to Victoria; up to 300 tons of coal per month would be stored at the city's Garbally Road yard for emergency cases next Winter; 1,000 cords of wood were being cut at Cobble Hill for shipment to the city; cordwood was being cut on Producers Sand & Gravel Company, Ltd., property; part of a daily shipment of eighteen cords from Duncan would go to the School Board, and an emergency fuel supply office would be operated by the city welfare department at 617 Johnson Street.

He successfully moved that $2,000 be placed in estimates to purchase wood and coal for emergencies.

Alderman Archie Wills pointed out that many healthy citizens could be organized to cut cordwood in the country. He did not suggest that women be used here, but stated that 80,000 women from Moscow went to the woods to cut fuel last Winter.

PROTEST SITUATION REGARDING POTATOES

On motion of Alderman B. J. Gadsden it was agreed to protest to the British Columbia Coast Vegetable Marketing Board and Wartime Prices and Trade Board against the manner in which the potato situation had been handled, and urge immediate steps be taken to remedy the high price of seed potatoes.

Mayor Andrew McGavin suggested the council protest against the existence of the marketing board.

Alderman T. W. Hawkins reported that four years ago the marketing board ordered Cowichan district potato growers to cut production as much as 90 per cent, which eventually created a shortage.

A motion of condolence was passed to Alderman Gadsden in the death of his mother, Mrs. Fannie G. Gadsden. A motion of deep regret at the death of John Dean, and a motion of sympathy to the widow of Peter Brogan were also passed.

Wartime Housing Limited was granted permission to forego the Spring planting of lawns in the case of new tenants who wished to raise vegetables in front of their homes. The water board was asked to deal with a complaint from C. A. Mudge, Selective Service officer, that three civic employees had been dismissed without proper releases.

It was agreed to discuss a June Willows Park race meet for 1944 with Colwood Park Association. Ld. Mayor McGavin thought an early meet excellent because less money would be wagered.

SEEK PATRICIA BAY AIR LINES LINK

It was agreed on motion of Alderman Wills to lend active support to R. W. Mayhew, M.P., in an application to the Board of Transport Commissioners at Ottawa on April 2 for a Trans-Canada Air Lines link between the Mainland and here.

Permission was granted the Dominion Hotel to store cordwood on a Johnson Street lot. It was agreed to rezone a Balmoral Road lot if New Method Laundries, Ltd. planned to erect a wood storage building. Thirty-eight property owners who registered objections will be given a public hearing in the near future.

Mayor McGavin was asked to set a date at which delegates from the Civic Employees' Federation of Greater Victoria can discuss a cost-of-living bonus. The finance committee was asked to deal with a request for tax exemption on a Boy Scout hall at 461 Chestnut Street. The parks committee was requested to report on a suggestion of Victoria and District Parent-Teacher Council that roller hockey lots be established in the various districts.

The lands committee was asked to report on plans of the Victoria centenary committee for a replica of Fort Victoria to be constructed near the Postoffice. An application from Chris Collias for permission to operate a hot dog and popcorn truck was referred to the health committee and solicitor. It was agreed to introduce a by-law amendment so that hairdressers' customers must be out of shops by 2 o'clock on Wednesday afternoons and 7 o'clock on Saturday evenings.

NINE LOTS SOLD BY LANDS COMMITTEE

Lands committee sales and locations were: East side of Blackwood Street, $50; south side of Burton Avenue, $60; south side of Bay Street, $100; north side of Hillside Avenue, $125; north side of Garbally Road, $150; northeast corner of Gorge Road and Balfour Avenue, $275; north side of Manor Road, $350; southwest corner of Kingston and Oswego Streets, $225 and a lot on the south side of McKenzie Street, $250.

It was decided to ask the controller of construction at Ottawa to establish an office or appoint a representative here in order to facilitate the granting of permits for alterations and new construction. Alderman Gadsden urged all committee chairmen to submit projects to the rehabilitation committee. Four maple trees on the north side of Craigflower Road near Raynor Avenue were ordered removed. One thousand pounds of wire for the street sweeper were ordered from Hatfield, Penn., at a cost of $237.93.

Considerable debate was provoked by Alderman Edward Williams when he learned the health committee had mailed restaurants signs reading "Dogs Not Allowed in This Restaurant, Board of Health." He contended the committee had no authority to have the signs printed, and restaurant owners were not compelled to display them. He suggested the committee ask grocers and greengrocers to display such signs, to which the committee agreed. The council resolved itself into a board of health and endorsed the action of the health committee.

Obituary

RAND—Funeral services for Edward Kabel Rand took place from the Meeting Room, 759 Kings Road, yesterday afternoon in the presence of a large congregation. The pallbearers were R. L. Carter, F. Kilburn, A. H. Price, Charles Price, V. Clarke and Robert Ingham. Interment was in Colwood Burial Park. The Thomson Funeral Home had charge of the arrangements.

PERKINS—Funeral services for Ralph J. Perkins were held yesterday afternoon in Sands Mortuary, Ltd. Rev. O. L. Jull conducted the services. The following acted as pallbearers: R. C. Newman, C. A. Duffield, W. H. Wallace and W. H. Scarsbrook. Interment was in Royal Oak Burial Park.

IRWIN—Large gathering of friends and business associates were present Monday afternoon at funeral services conducted for Victor Macdonald Irwin. Dean Spencer H. Elliott officiated. The remains were laid at rest in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery, with the following members of Jameson Motors staff acting as pallbearers: J. Watson, G. Garlick, E. Watson, G. Motion, L. Game, A. Walton, R. McDowell and W. Newcombe. S. J. Curry & Son had charge of arrangements.

SAMPSON — Many friends were present on Monday afternoon at funeral services conducted for Mrs. Ellen Sampson. Rev. J. C. Jackson officiated and interment took place in Royal Oak Burial Park. The following acted as pallbearers: I. W. Stephenson, W. P. George, G. L. Bentham and H. S. Bentham. S. J. Curry & Son had charge of arrangements.

WARK—The private funeral of John Henry Wark will be held from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel today. Rev. G. H. Greenhalgh officiating, and interment will be made in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery. It is requested that no flowers be sent.

ORD—The funeral of Henry Ord will be held from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel today at 2 p.m. Rev. G. H. Greenhalgh officiating, and interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park.

PERRY — Funeral services for Mrs. Catherine J. Perry will be held in the Thomson Funeral Home on Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Rev. H. W. Kerley will officiate and cremation will be at Royal Oak.

CHRISTIE—Funeral services for Samuel Christie were held in McCall Brothers' Funeral Chapel yesterday afternoon. Rev. James Hood conducted the services. Interment was made in Colwood Burial Park, with the following as pallbearers: F. Hamilton, H. B. Wilson, G. H. Henderson, A. Chadwick, F. G. Edwards and H. L. Fisher.

GIBSON — Funeral services for Rev. William Hewison Gibson will be conducted in Metropolitan United Church this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. Dr. A. E. Whitehouse will officiate. Interment will be made in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery. McCall Brothers are in charge.

BLACKSTOCK—Funeral services for Malcolm Blackstock will be conducted in McCall Brothers' Funeral Chapel on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. Dr. J. B. Rowell will officiate. Interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park.

MASON—Rev. H. A. McLeod officiated at the funeral of Mrs. Eva Isabelle Mason Saturday in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel. Burial took place at Ross Bay Cemetery, with W. J. Mason, R. J. Mason, John P. Merriman and J. W. Sinclair as pallbearers.

GRAY — Rev. J. L. W. McLean conducted the private funeral service for Mrs. Kathleen Alice Gray on Saturday afternoon in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel. Cremation at Royal Oak followed.

CODDINGTON—The death occurred Sunday at his home, 1207 St. David Street, of Arthur Dudley Coddington, seventy-eight, born in Blackburn, England, and a resident here since 1917. He leaves his widow, Anne Barlett, at home; two sons, Dr. Rupert Dudley Coddington, overseas, and Albert Howland Coddington, Berkeley, Cal.; one daughter, Mrs. D. J. Hintz, San Francisco, and seven grandchildren. Private funeral will be held from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel. It is requested no flowers be sent.

SMITH—Funeral services for William Alfred Smith will be held in the Thomson Funeral Home on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Fred C. Comley will officiate and interment will be at Colwood Burial Park.

YEN—Funeral services for Joe Yick Yen will be held in the Thomson Funeral Home this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in the Chinese Cemetery.

SHARROCKS—The remains of William Sharrocks will be interred today at Royal Oak Burial Park, the cortege leaving Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel at 2:15 o'clock. Victoria Lodge No. 2, B.P.O.E., will conduct burial services at the graveside.

Esquimalt Levy Down Two Mills

Lower Debt Charges Effect Big Savings

Making a local reduction of 1 mill since 1938, the Esquimalt Municipal Council last night announced a new rate of 34 mills, down two from 1942. The principal saving is in payments on debt charges, the rate for which was 2.49 mills in 1942 as against .76 mills for 1943.

In a short analysis accompanying the official figures, total estimates are shown at $117,109.55, less surplus of $50,642.18, leaving a net of $66,467.37. Estimated revenue from taxation is given at $68,047.54, based on 34 mills and 90 per cent collection, less expenditure of $66,467.37 as above, leaving a surplus of $1,580.17 of revenue over expenditure for the year.

Analysis of the rate on the above basis with 1942 is as follows:

	1943	1942
Debt	.76 Mills	2.49 Mills
School	14.38 Mills	13.75 Mills
General	18.86 Mills	19.75 Mills
	34.00 Mills	36.00 Mills

In addition to passing the estimates, the council dealt rapidly with a considerable volume of routine business.

Permission was granted to the R.C.E. Auxiliary to hold a tag day on May 15, and the Esquimalt Community Club was given the use of Memorial Park for May Queen celebrations, the club also receiving for this purpose the customary grant of $35.

A communication concerning the collection of clothing for the Canadian Aid to Russia Fund was referred to the Esquimalt Community Club.

Bids were accepted for the purchase of two lots, while a third bid of $80 was rejected, the price previously fixed being $100, of which the applicant for the lot is to be advised by the clerk.

Permission was granted several persons to cultivate reverted lots.

Fighting Violent

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siderable part of the German garrison was wiped out. In an attempt to restore the position, the Germans counter-attacked, but were flung back with heavy losses to them. Having exhausted the enemy, our detachments advanced and captured three populated places."

SOVIET TANK CREWS ACTIVE

Soviet tank crews were active in the Smolensk sector, lunging against enemy tanks, blockhouses, gun emplacements and machine-gun nests to break down the powerful German defensive system, the communique said.

In the Belgorod area between Kharkov and Kursk, Russian automatic riflemen in a surprise attack routed a battalion of enemy infantry, killing about 100 Germans, the Russians said.

While mud slowed operations on the ground, Soviet aircraft were active over the fronts, and on Sunday, Russian air units destroyed or damaged about 100 trucks loaded with troops and supplies, and silenced six enemy gun batteries.

In the Black Sea, an Axis transport of 4,000 tons was sunk by air attack.

Wheat Debated

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made by Lt.-Col. Arthur Ross (Progressive Conservative, Souris) and Trade Minister MacKinnon, whose department includes the Wheat Board, said this matter was being looked after by the Government.

Pressed by Colonel Ross to give details of the arrangement, Mr. MacKinnon said he hoped to be able to make a statement in the House within twenty-four or forty-eight hours.

J. G. Diefenbaker (Progressive Conservative, Lake Centre) said the Saskatchewan Legislature Liberal members had supported a resolution asking improved prices for agriculture, and this resolution appeared to be in direct conflict with the attitude taken by Federal Liberal ministers.

With a Saskatchewan provincial election in prospect, Mr. Diefenbaker said he expected the stress would be laid on the attitude taken by Liberals in the Legislature rather than that in the Federal House.

At opening of today's sittings, Hon. R. B. Hanson (Progressive Conservative, York-Sunbury) said there had been "negligence" in connection with a recent incident in Halifax which had cost the lives of certain members of the R.C.A.F.

He made the comment during a protest in which he said questions concerning the incident which he had submitted for the House order paper had been sent to the censors without any consultation with him. Prime Minister Mackenzie King suggested party leaders should confer with himself and censorship officials on the censor question.

SOOTHE NERVES TO GET SLEEP

Factory workers, and those who carry responsibility, sometimes find sleep has deserted them when their nerves are over-tired. The long eerie hours of wakefulness gradually amplify the grim realities of life out of all proportion, and intensify the nervous strain. Nor is it wise to indulge in sleeping powders unless they are prescribed by your family doctor.

One of the best ways to soothe the nerves and thus overcome sleeplessness, says an authority, is to take a moderately hot bath before retiring, following it by a brisk rub-down with a coarse towel. If a tablespoonful of mustard is added to the bath, the warm glow and gentle drowsiness that follow will readily induce sleep. Mix the mustard to a paste with cold water before adding it to the bath.

Habit plays a big part in wakefulness. It is necessary to make a determined effort to relax and let the mind drift into drowsiness in order to overcome sleeplessness. After that sleep will come more readily, because good habits are just as strong as bad ones.

From Europe

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Eden has been able to clear away many misapprehensions that followed Churchill's broadcast, especially those suggesting United States co-operation in European affairs was not desired, and that Britain would not fight to a finish after Germany is beaten.

The Foreign Secretary, adds The Times, will leave behind him in the United States a clearer understanding of British policies and British aspirations.

The political house-cleaning proceeds at Algiers, says the diplomatic correspondent of The Times. Many of those associated with the Vichy Government have disappeared already, and others are on their way out.

General Giraud obviously is making his administration conform with the traditions of Democratic and a Republican France. He is about to send a mission to London to keep in touch with the Fighting French.

Smash at France

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found its mark on a torpedo depot or ammunition dump.

The fifth attack on the city this month fell on the first anniversary of the daring British Commando raid on the port, in which an important drydock capable of accommodating a battleship was rendered useless to the Nazis.

Two British bombers failed to return from last night's raid, bringing to sixteen the number of Allied planes lost during a busy week-end in which Berlin was dealt probably its heaviest blow of the war and Duisberg, Rotterdam and Rouen were raked by explosives.

Today's German High Command communique, recorded by The Associated Press from a Berlin broadcast, said Allied air attacks in Western occupied territory had caused "heavy losses" among the population. The German-controlled Paris radio reported "considerable" damage to homes in yesterday's raid by United States planes on Rouen.

R.A.F. Ventura bombers were reported by the Air Ministry to have attacked enemy shipping at Rotterdam today, as well as industrial objectives in Holland and railway yards at Abbeville in France.

Hit-and-run German raiders of England today and made a direct hit on a school clinic, killing at least nine and injuring a number of expectant mothers who were attending the clinic. One raider was reported shot down.

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Club Member Speaks

In the absence of Engineer Lieut. Phies, R.N., scheduled to speak at the Gyro Club luncheon in the Empress Hotel yesterday, Harold B. Elworthy, a club member, spoke briefly of his work as manager of the Straits Towing & Salvage Co.

Lieut. Phies is a former officer of the Free French Navy, who survived two sinkings by torpedo and ten days adrift on a raft in the Caribbean Sea.

GLASGOW (CP)—During the past twelve months 1,199,918 tons of pit props taken from Scottish forests, many of them hewn by Canadian forestry men, have been forwarded to British collieries.

Lake Titicaca, 12,000 feet above sea level in Bolivia, is the highest navigable body of water in the world.

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VICTORY AT MARETH

The Mareth line of fortifications as an Axis stronghold has ceased to exist; its remains are in the hands of the British Eighth Army. General Sir Bernard Montgomery's latest offensive has led, within ten days, to the dislodgment of the Afrika Korps from its defensive positions in Tunisia, and rung up the curtain on what appears to be the opening on a grand scale of the campaign designed to drive the Axis Powers out of North Africa. Rommel's troops are retiring towards Gabes and in every probability will be forced northwards through Oudref, La Skirra, Mahares and on to Sfax. In the meantime the Americans, driving towards the latter coastal point, have advanced beyond Maknassi and may be successful in shutting off the retreat of the Germans and Italians. This would effect a wedge driven between Rommel's troops and the other Axis forces in Tunisia. The Afrika Korps is by no means disposed of, as yet. It has shown, again and again, remarkable recuperative powers, but its position now is more precarious than at any time in the past.

Air power, as at El Alamein, played a large part in the victory at Mareth. So, too, did the British infantry in hand-to-hand encounters. If they can continue their career, begun at El Alamein, General Montgomery's troops, under his leadership, may become known in the history of the war as the "ever victorious army." They have landed the first, great and perhaps the beginning of the decisive blow against the Axis forces in Tunisia. They have been the spearhead of the attack, despite the long, arduous and exhausting adventure on which they have been engaged during months past. Their success has been due to their experience as desert fighters and to the qualities of General Montgomery's leadership. The army that saved Egypt and the Suez Canal, that tore the last vestiges of the Italian Empire in Africa to "rags and tatters," is still in the ring as strong and confident as ever and continues to cover its operations with glory.

MR. JOHN DEAN

Victoria lost one of its most colorful and public spirited citizens on Sunday with the passing of Mr. John Dean, at the ripe age of ninety-two. In his latter years, as a world traveler—he took his first plane ride at the age of eighty-three and gloried in the experience—he became Victoria's ambassador-at-large; known on three continents, and widely respected by an ever-growing circle of friends. For nearly sixty years Mr. Dean was a citizen of this community, and ever an active and an interested one. Dean Park, at Mount Newton, was his gift to a Vancouver Island he knew intimately and loved.

Born at Stretton, Cheshire, in 1850, John Dean was orphaned at the age of eight years. All of his decisions were his own, and they were acute, thought out and vigorously executed in resulting action. Apprenticed to the building trade, he made his own way with sturdy independence. He arrived in Canada in 1873, and came west in 1884. From then on, with one intermission when he became alderman and then mayor of Rossland, Victoria was his chosen home. A bonnie fighter, Mr. Dean was more than once a stormy figure in municipal affairs, but always on the side of public service. He turned from contracting to real estate, from that to mining, and back again to real estate. At everything he worked he did well, and never more so than in genuine public service in this, the city of his adoption.

Perennially young in intellect, Mr. Dean lived a rich, full life and, one feels, enjoyed every moment of it. In civic affairs and management, he became perhaps the best-posted man of his times. From nearly every corner of the world he brought back from his travels examples of modern civic governance and efficiency. His single-handed fight against the acquisition by purchase of the Esquimalt waterworks system was a classic of its kind, and is still remembered. His latter years were given to travel, and to the philanthropies of a rich and fruitful life. Death had no terrors for him, but rather would be another journey—perhaps the greatest of all. His headstone, erected in advance by his order and carrying his own inscription, bears the epitaph of a gay and fighting spirit, and one who had a golden heart. Victoria is much the poorer for the passing of its esteemed ambassador-at-large, Mr. John Dean.

DRIVING IT HOME

The Royal Air Force raid on Berlin on Saturday night—described in London as the heaviest of many attacks on the capital of the Reich during the war—was both destructive and provocative. It was destructive because both the number of machines used and the weight of explosives and incendiaries dropped exceeded even the 1,000 tons of bombs laid in the concentrated, nineteen-minute raid on Berlin on March 1. It was provocative because the Royal Air Force is teasing the Luftwaffe into attempting a reply in kind. To do that Germany must withdraw further machines from Russia or from Tunisia, the active battle zones; or from reserve aircraft pools guarding other parts of her home front.

To deal, first, with the raid itself: Two waves of Britain's heaviest bombers made their runs on Berlin from the south and from the west. They interrupted communications with the capital for a period of one hour and thirty minutes. They lighted fires that were seen from a distance of 200 miles on the return journey home. They dropped somewhere in excess of 1,000 tons of bombs, not casually but on carefully selected targets. In regard to the weight of metal used, the Berlin raid on Saturday was two and a half times heavier than the greatest Nazi attempt upon London at the height of the Battle of Britain. In those raids the Luftwaffe had lost hundreds of machines. By German count, the Royal Air Force lost five aircraft in the heaviest raid on Berlin, possibly one per cent of the force used.

The Royal Air Force, the Royal Canadian Air Force and the United States Army Air Corps have been building up to this situation for some time. For something over two months aggressive day and night sweeps have kept leading production centres in enemy hands on the qui vive. Hamburg, Emden, Essen, Duisberg, Wilhelmshaven, Nuremberg and Cologne, in Germany; St. Nazaire, Lorient, Rouen, Rennes and Dunkerque, in France; Maasluis and many other points in Holland, have been visited recently by hard, destructive raids. The March 1 raid upon Berlin, it is known now, took 1,000 lives and left more than [illegible] in the capital of the Reich; and those were only its secondary effects, because whole acres of production factories were razed or burned to the ground.

Apart from the physical damage, however, the Saturday night raid on Berlin was a direct and provocative challenge to the Luftwaffe, which for thirty days had pecked away at Great Britain with token forces only. The Royal Air Force and the United States Army Air Corps would like nothing better than to have the enemy attempt to reply in kind. The very concentration of the necessary enemy machines to do so would upset Germany from her battle fronts to her back lines. It would put at hazard any reserve striking force which Germany may have prepared for the Spring of a fighting year. It remains to be seen yet whether or not the challenge will be accepted. If more than 1,000 tons of bombs twice dropped on the capital of Germany does not evoke a response, there will be new inferences to be drawn from that.

Canada's part in the mounting tempo of aerial warfare on the Western front is a fine one. Squadron after squadron of Canadian bombers and fighters have gone on these raids, by day and by night, and have proved to be aggressive in attack, and determined in the execution of their precise missions. Time and again Canada's men have been decorated, and their work praised; so that we are entitled to say that Canada is holding an integral part of the Western air front, and holding it well. Slowly, but surely, the United Nations are building up superiority in the air, and that is at the very capstone of victory.

THE NUFFIELD FOUNDATION

Lord Nuffield, greatest of individual benefactors of modern times, has now founded a charitable trust with a capital fund of £10,000,000. He had handed over to a board of trustees his holdings in the Nuffield Organization to the value of the amount stated, and the income from this fund will be utilized for the following purposes:

1. Medical research and teaching.
2. The organization and development of medical and health services.
3. Scientific research and teaching in the interests of trade and industry.
4. The pursuit of social studies.
5. The care and comfort of aged persons.

While, primarily, this trust will have its scope in Great Britain and Northern Ireland there are some projects affecting the Empire as a whole. In the matter of medical research and teaching and scientific research and teaching in the interests of trade and industry there is provision for scholarships and other assistance for Empire students. In commenting on this great gift The Times, London, says:

"The new Nuffield Foundation promises to link medicine and science generally with industry and social problems. The development has a logical sequence. The pioneer in his own industry wants more pioneers to be trained in the great industry of living a full life. These will become the leaders of the future and they will start with a solid basis of biological and general scientific training without which no postwar planning is worth consideration."

GOOD NEIGHBORS

The departure of Mr. Reed Paige Clark, popular United States consul, and Mrs. Clark, from Victoria at the close of the former's five-year term of office here in the consular service of his country, will sever a public and a private association that has been both distinguished and pleasant. The United States of America, uniformly happy in its choice of representatives here, has never been more adequately served. Outside of his official duties, which were manifold, Mr. Clark, assisted by his gracious wife as hostess, has built up a wide circle of acquaintanceship in this community.

For the retiring consul, the step is a final one. Mr. Clark is leaving the consular service of the United States, after a long and distinguished career in many parts of the world. His term of office will expire on Wednesday, and shortly after that Mr. and Mrs. Clark will leave for the farm in New Hampshire which is to be their permanent home. With them will go their son, Reed Paige Clark, the third, who, born at Santo Domingo, and schooled at Vienna, received his first serious lessons in English here.

Following a long chain of consuls, all of whom have been popular, Mr. Reed Paige Clark will leave only pleasant associations behind him when he steps out of office on Wednesday. The helpfulness shown in office hours, the kindliness demonstrated after office hours, as well as open-handed generosity in every worthwhile cause that stood in need, both on his own behalf and that of Mrs. Clark, will be gratefully remembered. It is Victoria as a whole that will say "Good-Bye and Good Luck!"

THE DEMOCRATIC EVANGEL

It was the memorable declaration by the American colonists in 1776 that opened the page of the modern democratic evangel—how among self-evident truths are these: That all men are created equal; that they are endowed by their Creator with certain inalienable rights; that among these are life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness; that, to secure these rights, governments are formed among men, deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed. None of this was new in thought. As American historians point out, Jefferson was here using the old vernacular of English thought and aspiration—a vernacular rich in noble phrase and stately tradition, to be found in a hundred champions of a hundred camps, in Buchanan, Milton, Hooker, Locke, Jeremy Taylor, Roger Williams, and many another humbler but no less strenuous pioneer and confessor of freedom. Those were the tributary fountains that, as time went on, swelled into the broad confluence of our modern age.—Morley: "Oracles of Man and Government."

A DITTY

My true-love hath my heart, and I have his,
By just exchange one for another given:
I hold his dear, and mine he cannot miss,
There never was a better bargain driven:
My true-love hath my heart, and I have his.

His heart in me keeps him and me in one,
My heart in him his thoughts and senses guides:
He loves my heart, for once it was his own,
I cherish his because in me it bides:
My true-love hath my heart, and I have his.

—Philip Sidney.

Note and Comment

By SANDHAM GRAVES

THE WEEK

Western Front—The week was a stirring one in the United Nations aerial attack on Europe. Berlin received its heaviest raid of the war, when hundreds of British machines dropped more than 1,000 bombs in [illegible] the Reich's capital and left fires visible for a great distance. This was preceded by a concentrated attack upon Duisberg and other towns in the Ruhr and followed by a hard blow on St. Nazaire. Meanwhile, United States machines carried out a concentrated raid against Wilhelmshaven and against points on the occupied coast from Holland to France. Both forces joined in telling day sweeps, in which fighters and fighter-bombers harried hundreds of miles of enemy-held ground and encampments. Rouen, Rennes, Maasluis and many other towns were visited and St. Nazaire took two destructive raids during the period. The Luftwaffe reply was light and easily scattered, and five of some twenty-five German machines visiting Scotland were cut down by defence machines. In France, the Laval Cabinet was "reorganized," with four of its ministers—Justice, Navy, Air and Colonies—resigning after growing unrest over the German labor-conscription policy, one aimed at stripping France of all adult males. In Great Britain, a British White Paper blamed Gandhi for unrest in India while that country was under actual threat from Japan. The smashing raid on Berlin, the second this month, climaxed a vigorous air offensive which has now been maintained for more than sixty days.

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Eastern Front—Very hard fighting on the Eastern front slowed as the week ended, with the Germans in Kharkov, the Russians almost at the gates of Smolensk, and the situation more stabilized. Hard and repeated attempts by the Germans to smash their way in force across the upper reaches of the Donets on a fifty-mile front were brought to a standstill, although the enemy's pressure was being maintained with tanks, planes and fresh troops brought from his reserves. The Russians, recapitulating deep gains in the Orel sector, continued their pressure on Smolensk, and took a number of settlements acting as outposts to that main anchor point in the centre. South of Lake Ilmen and in the Kuban Valley there was stiff fighting, in which our Allies were the aggressors. The main effort, however, was along the banks of the Donets. Twice the Germans seized a brideghead on the north bank and twice they were repelled. Russian defenders crossed to the south bank, were forced back and crossed again at another point. From a point southeast of Kharkov and for 100 miles to the east, there was the open clash of arms, often in hand-to-hand fighting. In this the Russians held their ground and exacted considerable losses from the enemy. Bad weather brought a lull as the period closed, with the Smolensk and Kharkov fronts the centre of interest in what is still an undecided and bitterly contested action with considerable forces involved on both sides. The Germans threw their greatest weight against Belgorod and Chugiev, but substantially they were being held.

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Near East—In a steady action, which absorbed early reverses and developed a rolling strength, the British Eighth Army cracked the Mareth Line in Southeastern Tunisia. The thrust was timed to coincide with an United States advance northwest of Gabes, and confronted Rommel's forces with four concentrations of United Nations' troops: On the sea end of the Mareth Line at Mareth and Zarat, by the salt marshes before El Hamma to the West, from El Guetar to Maknassy and hill stations immediately west of there and at Fondouk. Meanwhile, the British First Army contained Von Arnim's forces in the Bizerte zone in the North, and drove in some of his outposts. The Mareth Line was taken by outflanking and by direct assault. Heavy fighting rolled around Mareth and Zarat, where the first British gains were later repulsed by the enemy. Outflanking Rommel to the West, General Montgomery sent a considerable force against El Hamma, where it encountered Axis concentrations, but slowly drove them back. Montgomery's coastal drive, meanwhile, forced the enemy out of sections of the Mareth Line, and led to its virtual abandonment. It was a mobile action that ensued, with Rommel's force in retreat northward along the coast, and under pressure by air and from three sides on land. Gabes was shelled by British naval vessels, and one of the greatest air concentrations of the campaign was turned loose on the withdrawing columns of the enemy. The action, which was closely concerted with United States gains at El Guetar and Maknassy, was still developing as the period closed. It was known, however, that Rommel had been sprung out of the Mareth Line and was again in flight. In the overall picture of Tunisia, the United Nations [illegible] were seeking to roll up the southern army, which had been virtually entrapped. It remained to be seen what force Rommel could save through a rapidly-closing coastal gap.

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Other Fronts—In the Middle East, an exchange of air bombardment on Rangoon, Mandalay, Toungoo and Akyab on the one hand; and on Chittagong, Rathedaung and Mayu on the other, left the situation in Burma without express change. British posts had increased their hold on the northwest coastal area, and had also weakened the enemy in the river-rail communications system of the interior, but no large-scale movement had been attempted by either side. Japanese troops were attacking Chinese posts in the Yunnan border region, from Burmese bridgeheads, but these attacks were reported checked. In China itself, Chinese troops whittled at Japanese columns in the Yangtze valley, and recaptured outposts in several areas. In the Southwestern Pacific, an exchange of air raids went heavily in favor of the United Nations. Rabaul was heavily bombed, as was Nauru Island, almost midway to the main Japanese sea base at Truk Island. The Japanese countered with a sixty-plane raid on the Allies' growing New Guinea beachheads, in which thirteen enemy planes were dropped and the rest driven off. Late in the week there was a report of a brush off Attu Island, in the Aleutians, where a light enemy naval force, attempting to resupply Kiska harbor, was turned aside. Particulars were awaited. Several enemy supply ships were caught in the southern action and bombed, and twice Allied planes made destructive raids against Japanese airfields in the Lae-Salamaua zone and at Rabaul. Kiska was bombed methodically, four times on one day. The mounting Tunisian battle centred chief interest as the period ended, and there the enemy had taken a stinging reverse.

Observation Car

By G.R.

From our Ritz Hotel correspondent: "I was surprised to read that a man with eight liquor permits was fined only $10 in the city, but another at Sidney paid a fine of $50 for having merely two permits. Before the war there was a charge of stealing an automobile and a minimum penalty of one year in prison, but now it is taking a car without consent of the owner, which usually calls for a suspended sentence or fine of $25. Times surely are changing" . . . Plugs for electric iron cords now have riveted terminals so so they cannot be repaired. When broken they must be thrown away, thus wasting metal and plastic material . . . From the Keating Squire: "The City Council lands committee should appoint a competent Victory garden adviser. Many citizens planning to raise vegetables know absolutely nothing about gardening or cultivating. Some soil on garden plots and vacant lots will not successfully grow anything but weeds and requires heavy fertilization and intensive cultivation. How, what and when to plant which where are matters that should not be left to mere guesswork. It is a safe bet that many crops of carrots will be gobbled by carrot flies during the Summer. I suggest they be sprayed with a strong solution of carbolic soap when the tops are two or three inches high. On lots where heavy clay subsoil is close to the surface, only deep ploughing to break it up will produce ground that will grow vegetables" . . . From "M.C.": "If members of the City Council are genuinely concerned about chlorinating our pure water supply, I suggest that samples of treated water be placed at the City Hall so that citizens can judge for themselves if it is going to have a nauseating taste."

439 KIRKS HIT

EDINBURGH (CP)—Enemy action has damaged 439 Presbyterian churches and other properties it was reported at the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(From The Daily Colonist of March 30, 1918)

Food Production Vital Necessity—On the eve of the Easter festival which marks the formal opening of the fateful Spring of 1918, Sir Robert Borden has issued a call to the people of Canada, urging the greatest possible food production in view of a "crisis grave and urgent beyond possibility of exaggeration." He stated specific suggestions will be issued from time to time by the Canada Food Board for the guidance of the people, and it is the earnest hope of the Government that every citizen will realize his or her personal individual duty to adopt and carry out suggestions.

FIFTY YEARS AGO

(From The Daily Colonist of March 30, 1893)

To Go to the Great Fair—Among the Danube's passengers from the North on Friday was a little party of seventeen full-blooded Fort Rupert Indians, made up of young Chief Hay-ath-kin, nine of his men, five of his women, and a teen age girl and boy. The company will leave on Tuesday for Chicago, where they will illustrate the life of the British Columbia Indians, their tribal customs, peculiar festivals and strange dances at the World's Fair during the next seven months. A magnificent Haida house, with three totem posts was also received by Mr. Deans on the arrival of the Danube, completing British Columbia's Indian collection.

SEVENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(From The Daily British Colonist of March 30, 1868)

Naval Regatta—The Naval Regatta yesterday drew a large number of citizens to Esquimalt. The aquatic contests proved highly interesting. The Reindeers carried off the greatest number of prizes. The guests were hospitably received on board the flagship by Admiral Hastings, Capt. Dawkins and officers of H.M. Fleet.

"BUT DON'T GO NEAR THE WATER"

On the Record

By DOROTHY THOMPSON

CHURCHILL'S SPEECH

Winston Churchill spoke for forty-five minutes, of which only fifteen were devoted to presenting a picture of the future Europe and the world.

Foreign policy entered into the speech only as a means of providing a frame of reference for its main purpose. For Mr. Churchill knows that whatever the United Kingdom is able to achieve for its citizens, will depend upon a pacification of the world at large, and especially of Europe.

Should Great Britain be compelled to begin the postwar period with another armament race, she could obviously not, at the same time, finance such a plan as that envisaged in the Beveridge Report as, indeed, Sir William himself points out. There are prerequisites for a prosperous, well-housed, well-fed, and universally-secure Britain, points out. There are prerequisites as hold for every other country. There is no sense in building domestic dream castles to the exclusion of the international situation.

Therefore, the brief time devoted to an outline of the postwar international situation was mainly for the purpose of illustrating this truth. To criticize this part of his speech on the ground that he did not deal with every country, and only sketch broad outlines, is carping and petty.

Since Mr. Churchill was especially concerned in this speech with Britain, he concentrated his attention on Europe and not upon the Far East. He described himself as a good European. And he realized that any solution of the European question depends upon the collaboration of the United States and Russia.

A UNITY OF NATIONS

Churchill sees Europe as an entity, geographic and cultural, with a history and traditions common to all Europeans. He sees it also as a civilization whose peculiar and glorious contributions have come out of its manifoldness and diversity, as its wars have also sprung from the same sources. He wants to see a unity of Europe, but not a Europe aligned against Britain or Russia, but with the integration of both. He wants a unity which is not monolithic and imposed by any one nation, but which illustrates the twin principles of freedom and equality.

Following this concept, he cannot advocate a pan-Europe excluding Britain and Russia, and must provide against Europe being dominated by the hegemony of either. To avoid such a hegemony two courses would be open: to dismember the existing great powers and to Balkanize the whole of Europe. This is an attractive picture for those who wish to rule or ruin Europe.

The other is to create a Europe in which the smaller powers do not offer continual temptations to aggression from the great ones.

He therefore proposes confederations of the small states, who, when confederated, would represent such population, resources, and strength, as to give them equal representation in a council of Europe with the great states.

He does not see this as something fixed and limited for all time. He wishes to create a pattern and climate in which the idea of confederation can grow and lead eventually to a genuine world organization of the peoples. Therefore, he balanced the council of Europe with a council of Asia, to follow the defeat of Japan, and made it clear that neither would be possible without the collaboration of the Americas.

AFTER THE LAST WAR

The last war led to the liberation of nationalities, which was a necessary and inevitable historical development. But the liberated nationalities depended for the existence on the great powers. Thus some strong states were burdened with responsibilities which they did not desire, while other strong states saw an opportunity for expansion by subjugation.

The principle enunciated by Churchill is of self-responsibility made possible by confederations of the smaller states, and a common responsibility assumed by the world powers with direct interests in Europe. It is for this reason obviously, that he did not mention China. For, though he foresees an ultimate world organization, he realizes that there are problems which concern Europe alone; others which concern Europe, Britain, and Russia; others which concern these and the Americas; and finally others which concern the entire world.

Those who are indulging in the wish-dream that, by a few catchwords a new world order full of nothing but love and brotherhood can be conjured up overnight will take little comfort from Mr. Churchill's speech. It is the speech of a responsible statesman, who knows the difficulties ahead and the contradictions that have to be overcome.

Mr. Churchill, for recreation, likes to lay bricks. This is the speech of a good bricklayer, who can't put on the ornaments until the foundations are sound. He wants a structure strong enough to be extended by future generations. He does not think those of us now living are going to accomplish it all.

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Tides at Victoria

MARCH

Time of tides (Pacific Standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of March, 1943.

Date	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.
1	.....	.....	0:47	8.9	17:10	2.4	.....	.....
2	.....	.....	2:37	8.9	18:06	2.0	.....	.....
3	0:32	7.9	6:04	7.6	11:11	8.8	18:55	1.6
4	4:05	7.8	7:08	7.1	12:18	8.8	19:42	1.8
5	5:22	7.9	8:01	6.5	13:18	8.7	20:26	2.1
6	5:39	8.0	8:49	5.9	14:14	8.4	21:00	2.5
7	5:47	8.1	9:37	5.3	15:11	8.0	21:50	3.3
8	4:10	8.3	10:30	4.8	16:11	7.6	22:33	4.1
9	4:53	8.5	11:14	4.3	17:17	7.1	23:16	4.9
10	5:29	8.3	12:10	3.9	18:27	6.8	23:53	5.7
11	6:06	8.2	13:00	3.8	21:38	6.7	.....	.....
12	6:36	8.1	8:35	8.1	14:00	3.8	23:48	7.0
13	1:09	8.0	7:08	8.0	15:10	3.6	.....	.....
14	.....	.....	7:15	7.9	16:11	3.6	.....	.....
15	2:06	7.8	8:09	7.6	7:21	7.1	17:09	3.3
16	2:10	7.8	8:38	7.4	8:18	7.3	18:09	3.1
17	2:40	7.8	9:10	7.2	10:49	7.4	18:44	3.0
18	3:50	7.7	7:40	6.9	11:50	7.5	19:24	3.0
19	5:28	7.6	8:05	6.3	12:41	7.5	19:56	3.1
20	5:06	7.6	8:28	6.0	13:29	7.6	20:29	3.4
21	3:07	7.7	8:58	5.4	14:17	7.6	21:02	3.8
22	3:28	7.8	9:31	4.9	15:06	7.5	21:38	4.1
23	3:51	7.9	10:10	4.4	16:01	7.4	22:10	4.7
24	4:18	8.0	10:55	3.9	17:01	7.1	22:47	5.4
25	4:47	8.1	11:44	3.3	18:09	6.9	23:28	6.0
26	5:18	8.1	12:34	2.8	19:05	6.8	.....	.....
27	0:03	6.3	5:44	8.2	13:29	2.5	20:06	7.1
28	0:44	6.9	6:06	8.3	14:26	2.3	.....	.....
29	0:28	7.4	1:37	7.3	6:32	8.2	15:27	2.2
30	1:22	7.8	3:16	7.4	7:48	8.0	16:31	2.3
31	1:55	7.8	4:06	7.3	9:52	7.8	17:32	2.4

The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

To find the depth of water on the sill at the Esquimalt Drydock at any tide, add 30 feet to the height of high water as above given.

Arrange Concert In Aid of A.R.P.

For the purpose of purchasing individual first-aid equipment for the use of wardens in the event of enemy action, wardens of District 10, A.R.P., will present an all-talent concert in Sir James Douglas School auditorium, Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

The services of W.O.1 R. Ryves, baritone, and Mrs. Bert Noel, soprano, have been procured, and will round out a splendid programme which includes The Happy Canucks; Merrifield, the Cornish wizard; the Bossom Four, acrobatic roller skaters; Harry Davies, flautist; Cliff Moore, accordionist; Lois Russell and Yvonne Simpson, dancers; Angela Harrison and Pat Healey, novelty, and Bert White, comedian. The programme will be interspersed by selections by the Little Theatre Orchestra.

Grant Patterson will act as master of ceremonies and Mrs. N. Bertucci as accompanist. Patrol leaders of the First Cathedral Troop will be ushers.

The committee in charge of arrangements is composed of Col. Francis Hood, G. W. Russell, F. L. Anscombe, Barrie Gould and Victor DiCastri. Tickets may be procured from the wardens of the district or from the Five Points Pharmacy.

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The first symptom of a cold is a sensation of burning and discomfort in the part affected.

Sunrise and Sunset

The dim-out period will commence at 8:10 tonight and continue until 6:25 on Wednesday morning.

MARCH

Times of Sunrise and Sunset (Pacific Standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of March, 1943.
(Add one hour for Pacific Daylight time.)

Date	Sunrise	Sunset	Date	Sunrise	Sunset
1	6:37	5:58	17	6:24	6:06
2	6:35	5:57	18	6:22	6:03
3	6:33	5:59	19	6:20	6:04
4	6:31	6:00	20	6:18	6:06
5	6:29	6:02	21	6:16	6:08
6	6:27	6:04	22	6:14	6:08
7	6:25	6:05	23	6:12	6:10
8	6:23	6:07	24	6:10	6:11
9	6:21	6:09	25	6:07	6:12
10	6:19	6:10	26	6:05	6:14
11	6:17	6:11	27	6:03	6:15
12	6:34	6:12	28	6:01	6:17
13	6:32	6:14	29	5:59	6:18
14	6:30	6:15	30	5:57	6:40
15	6:28	6:17	31	5:55	6:41
16	6:26	6:19			

Meteorological Office, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

According to Culbertson

When declarer graciously permits the defenders to run a suit, they should sit up and take notice. What is more to the point, they often should refuse to accept declarer's largesse. For example:

South, dealer.
North-South vulnerable.
Match-point scoring.

NORTH
♠ K Q 6 5
♥ 9 4 3
♦ J 9 5
♣ 8 7 4

WEST
♠ 7 3 2
♥ K Q J 10
♦ 6
♣ J 10 8 6 5

EAST
♠ J 10 9 4
♥ 8 7 2
♦ K Q 10 8 2
♣ 3

SOUTH
♠ A 8
♥ A 6 5
♦ A 7 4 3
♣ A K Q 2

This hand occurred in the recent Open Pair event of the Eastern tournament. Most of the North-South teams reached and fulfilled a contract of three no trump. Only one team was defeated in that contract, because only that one team encountered perfect defence.

The bidding was simple. Two no trump by South, three no trump by North.

At most of the tables West opened the heart king. Declarer held off for one round but took the continuation and then started the club suit, cashing the ace and king. When East showed out, declarer led his remaining heart, throwing West on lead. West cashed his remaining heart, while East signaled with the diamond eight and West then shifted to a diamond. Declarer permitted the ten-spot to hold, but won the diamond continuation. Now the queen of clubs squeezed East unmercifully. Forced to guard the spade suit, East had to let go his last diamond, and declarer cashed the diamond seven before running his three top spades.

At the only table where the contract was defeated, West did not kindly fall in with declarer's plan. That is to say, he did not cash his fourth heart trick. Cannily reasoning that if an expert declarer wanted to give him a trick, he couldn't afford to take it, West, after being thrown on lead with a heart, shifted to a spade. Now try as he would, declarer could not build up a squeeze position. East, relieved of the necessity of discarding to the fourth heart, was able to keep sufficient spade and diamond protection, and declarer was held to eight tricks.

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Canada's Honor Roll

OTTAWA, March 29 (CP)—In its 284th overseas casualty list of the war, issued tonight, the Canadian (Active) Army reported four men have died, two are dangerously ill and two seriously ill.

Following is the list:

DIED

Canadian Armored Corps—Acting Cpl. John Thomas Gibbs, Winnipeg.

Royal Canadian Artillery—Gnr. James Alexander Webster, London, England.

Royal Canadian Engineers—Spr. Lawrence Burnell Langdon, Embro, Ont.

Infantry — Tpr. Thomas James Proctor, Fort William.

DANGEROUSLY ILL

Royal Canadian Engineers—L.-Cpl. James Smith, London, Ont.

Canadian Forestry Corps — Pte. Louis Harold Morris, Cawdor, Nairnshire, Scotland.

SERIOUSLY ILL

Regiment de Quebec—Pte. Hector Brousseau, St. Louis du Ha Ha, Que.

Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps—Pte. Cyril Glendon Brown, Newport, Hants County, N.S.

Past Year Most Profitable In History for the C.N.R.

Gross Revenues, Passenger and Freight Traffic Reach New All-Time Record High

OTTAWA, March 29 (CP)—The Canadian National Railways had its most profitable year's operation during 1942 and was able to turn over $23,063,268 to the Government after payment of taxes and interest to the [illegible] shown today when the lines' annual report was tabled in the House of Commons by Transport Minister Michaud.

Gross revenues reached $375,654,543—more than $1,000,000 a day and an all-time high. The report said that the C.N.R. traffic this year, on the basis of present indications, will be greater still.

"The traffic of the railway rose to unprecedented levels," said the report prepared by R. C. Vaughan, C.N.R. chairman and president.

FREIGHT TRAFFIC ALSO SOARS

"Freight traffic was more than double that of the peak of the last war and 40 per cent in excess of the peacetime record of 1928. Passenger traffic was 80 per cent greater than in 1928. The railway hauled 71,545,000 tons of revenue freight and carried 30,363,000 revenue passengers.

"Gross revenues reached $375,654,543, averaging over $1,000,000 per day. Net operating revenue, after the payment of all operating expenses, was $86,655,868, an increase of $20,047,527 over the previous year.

"The cash surplus, after payment of taxes, interest paid to the public and to the Government, was $25,063,268, an increase of $21,046,941 over 1941."

Greatly increased demands of the armed forces, war industries and civilians for transport, communications and other services were "fully met." The company "markedly extended" its production of ships and munitions.

PRIORITIES TO BE VITALLY IMPORTANT

"Difficulties in obtaining railway supplies and equipment are, however, increasing as the war goes on, and it is the view of the directors that the provision of priorities to enable the railway to maintain its operating machine an efficient state will continue to be of vital importance."

As an indication of the vast traffic handled by the National system, Mr. Vaughan said C.N.R. locomotives traveled 90,000,000 miles during the year. The company owned 2,555 locomotives at December 31 last, fifty-three more than at the end of 1941. In addition, the locomotive maintenance programme was stepped up, and "the equivalent of 264 additional serviceable locomotives was obtained."

"Similarly, an increase in the serviceability improved the freight car situation by 3,900 units as compared with 1939. New freight cars obtained numbered 1,163, bringing the system's total to 90,353."

Passenger transportation service to war plants had become increasingly important and the C.N.R. now is transporting 20,000 workers to and from such plants each day.

Average number of employees during 1942 was 94,592, including express and telegraph, but exclusive of hotel and subsidiary company employees. The total payroll during 1942 was $177,042,773.

The tin used to solder parts in a medium army tank would make 10,000 tin cans.

Illustrated Lecture On Heavens Given By Dr. C. S. Beals

Under the auspices of the Victoria Chapter of the Toronto Conservatory of Music Alumni Association, Dr. C. S. Beals, assistant director of the Dominion Astrophysical Observatory, Saanich, gave an illustrated lecture, "The Heavens Tell Their Own Story in Pictures," before an interested audience last night at the Y.W.C.A. Miss Noel Smith, vice-president of the Victoria Alumni, was in the chair and introduced the speaker. The net proceeds will be given to the Red Cross Society.

In his opening remarks, Dr. Beals stated the primary purpose of the lecture was to show by photographs some of the beauties of the stars, planets and other heavenly bodies which, he said, "are worth looking at even though the layman may not understand the physical nature of what he is gazing upon." To see astronomical objects clearly the camera is superior to the telescope, Dr. Beals declared, and proceeded to show and comment upon the slides belonging to the collection at the Saanich observatory.

Photographs demonstrating the relation of the earth and sun to the other members of the solar system and their relative distances were shown. To the amateur astronomers present the pictures of the sun, showing sun spots and disturbances on its solar surface, were most impressive and beautiful. Remarkable photos taken while the sun was in total eclipse were especially spectacular.

Other detailed slides showing the moon, and the planets, Venus, Mars, Jupiter and Saturn, were followed by most interesting photographs of the famous comets. Throughout the lecture questions were asked by the audience and answered by the speaker. Other objects shown and commented upon were shooting stars and meteorites.

In conclusion, Dr. Beals left the solar system and showed the great star fields and planetary nebulae noted for density and immense distances. Finally, by means of photographs, the audience was able to glimpse beyond what the speaker termed "our galactic system to the external galaxies outside our own."

Following a lively question and discussion period, the appreciation of the chapter and audience to Dr. Beals was voiced by Dr. W. B. Milburn.

Pioneer of Victoria Is Taken by Death

The death occurred on Sunday at the Royal Jubilee Hospital of Mrs. Ann Crawford Liddell, seventy-five, 750 Queens Avenue. She was born in Ayrshire, Scotland, and had lived here fifty-one years.

Surviving are three sons, James and Fred in Seattle and Tom in Victoria; three grandchildren in Seattle and two in Victoria. Mrs. Liddell was a member of the First United Church, a life member of the Caledonian Society and a member of the W.B.A.

Rev. H. A. McLeod will conduct the funeral Wednesday at 3:15 from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel. Interment at Royal Oak.

NAZI OFFICIAL KILLED

NEW YORK, March 29 (AP)—A broadcast by the Moscow radio that Hans Volker, described as chief of the Nazi elite troop detachments on the German-Russian front, had been killed was reported today by the Federal Communications Commission.

POLISH CHILDREN FROSTBITTEN

LONDON (CP) — Polish children separated by the Germans from their parents nearly 200 miles away arrived in Warsaw frostbitten, diseased and lice-ridden, and it is believed their ultimate destination is Sobiebor, notorious Nazi concentration camp, say Polish authorities here.

Noted Steel Man Is Dead In New York

NEW YORK, March 29 (AP) — James A. Farrell, eighty, former president of the United States Steel Corporation, died at his home here Sunday.

Farrell, a native of New Haven, Conn., had been ill for some time. He served as president of United States Steel Products Export Co. from 1904 to 1911. In 1911 he became president of the United States Steel Corporation, serving in that position until 1932.

Farrell began his career in the steel industry when he entered a steel wire mill in New Haven at the age of sixteen. He became a laborer in the Pittsburgh Wire Co. and worked up to the positions of superintendent and manager.

Farrell, the late J. P. Morgan and Myron C. Taylor formed a powerful triumvirate in the company.

When Judge Elbert Henry Gary, chairman of the steel board, died in 1922, Morgan assumed the office of board chairman. This divided the operations of the company—finance under Taylor and operations under Farrell.

HOLLYWOOD, March 29 (AP)—Ed Blondell, seventy-seven, veteran vaudeville and stage actor, died Saturday night at the home of his daughter, Actress Joan Blondell, and her husband, Actor Dick Powell.

The ninety-two islands in the Seychelles Group, in the Indian Ocean, were occupied by the French in 1742, captured by a British ship in 1794 and finally assigned to Britain in 1810.

GOTHENBURG (CP) — The Government of neutral Sweden has let contracts to shipyards here for two new 7,000-ton cruisers for the national navy.

Aged Man Found Dying in Room

Amos Kinsey, eighty-four, was found dying in his housekeeping room on Vancouver Street at 10:15 o'clock yesterday morning by J. Stillman, who resides on the same premises. An inhalator was unsuccessfully used, and Dr. Samuel Janowsky pronounced life extinct.

Detective Henry F. Jarvis found a burn on the deceased's right arm, a gas jet burning on a small stove, and gas issuing from another unlighted burner topped by a kettle. Dr. E. C. Hart, the coroner, pronounced death due to an accident, and the remains were removed to Sands Mortuary.

A daughter, Mrs. W. J. Patterson, lives at Mission City, B.C.

Nazis Keep Silent After Berlin Raid

STOCKHOLM, March 29 (AP)—German officials issued a statement today to the Berlin foreign press announcing that no details of any kind would be released on the R.A.F.'s Saturday night blasting of Berlin, and this was interpreted by some observers here as indicating the Nazis were stunned by the weight of the attack.

"The English obviously think extensive damage was done," the Swedish press quoted a German spokesman. "We can let them believe it rather than give a hint where damage occurred."

DIES IN NANAIMO

NANAIMO, March 29—Alexander McNeil, seventy-nine, died in Nanaimo Hospital today. He had resided in Nanaimo for the past forty-three years, for many of which he was an employee of the Windsor Hotel. He leaves a brother, Robert, in Scotland, and a sister, Mrs. J. A. Richardson, Nanaimo. The funeral will be held under the auspices of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, of which he was a chartered member, on Wednesday at 2 p.m.

Esquimalt Licence Transfer Opposed

Led by Councillor F. G. Eaton, the Esquimalt Municipal Council passed last night by a vote of 4 to 2 a resolution voicing the council's disapproval of the proposed transfer of a beer licence covering the Coach and Horses Hotel, recently removed from 1350 to 1342 Esquimalt Road. A letter protesting the transfer was received from the president of the Rockland Park W.C.T.U.

The original property, 1350 Esquimalt Road, being sold to the Government for use as a dormitory for one of the women's auxiliary services, the former owners secured a new location and thereafter applied for a transfer of the licence covering the original premises. This application is scheduled to come before the Liquor Control Board on April 8.

Reeve Alec Lockley, although declaring himself a teetotaler, felt that it was not up to the council to direct the Liquor Control Board, or to suggest the latter's course of action. Councillor T. Hadfield expressed similar views.

Councillor Eaton disclosed that he had personally approached W. F. Kennedy, chairman of the Liquor Control Board, who had assured him (Eaton) that "the expressed wish of the municipality would influence the board's action."

Put to a vote, Councillors Eaton, Ellis, Christensen and McLeod voted against a transfer of the licence. Councillors Hadfield and Guillemaud, feeling that the council should not interfere, voted against the Eaton resolution.

PUBLISHER DEAD

ORLANDO, Cal., March 29 (AP)—J. Edwin Murphy, sixty-six, vice-president of the A. S. Abell Company, which publishes The Baltimore Sun-Papers, died today after an illness of two weeks.

The 5,000 people of Walbrook district of Coseley near Wolverhampton, England, are afraid they'll soon be on their uppers. The reason is that their only cobbler, William Mann, has been called up for the army.

Oliver Lyttelton, Britain's Production Minister, told Scottish factory workers that the enemy "is in no condition to take very many hard knocks." He warned, however, that this did not call for a let-down in home production.

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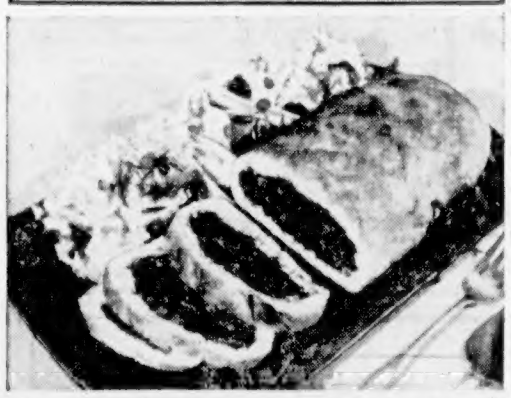
WEEKLY WARTIME NUTRITION HINTS

Martha Logan, Swift's famed home economist, whose weekly wartime cooking column is a regular feature of this page. Look for these valuable hints each Tuesday.

by Martha Logan



Economical Baked Meat Roll

A new and tasty way of making a main dish out of meat and vegetable left-overs.

Now that we all must make our meats go further and yet serve properly balanced meals in accordance with Canada's Nutrition Program—new, interesting ways of using left-over meat and vegetables are much in demand.

Try this baked meat roll next time you have one or two cupfuls of meat left over. Make biscuit dough: 2 cups sifted flour, 4 tsp. baking powder, ½ tsp. salt, 4 tbsp. *Jewel* Shortening, ⅔ cup milk. Sift flour with baking powder and salt. Cut in *Jewel* finely. Add milk gradually. Put the meat through the grinder and combine with any left-over vegetables be some raw chopped cabbage or grated carrots. Add finely chopped onion, soft bread crumbs and an egg to bind. Season to taste. Moisten with a little meat stock or tomato juice and a dash of Worcester Sauce. Enclose in the dough, wet and seal ends and bake in a hot oven 30 minutes or until paste is done. Served with a green salad or leafy green vegetable, your family will love it. Don't forget to serve milk, tomato or citrus fruit and Canada Approved bread as well as meat and vegetables each day.

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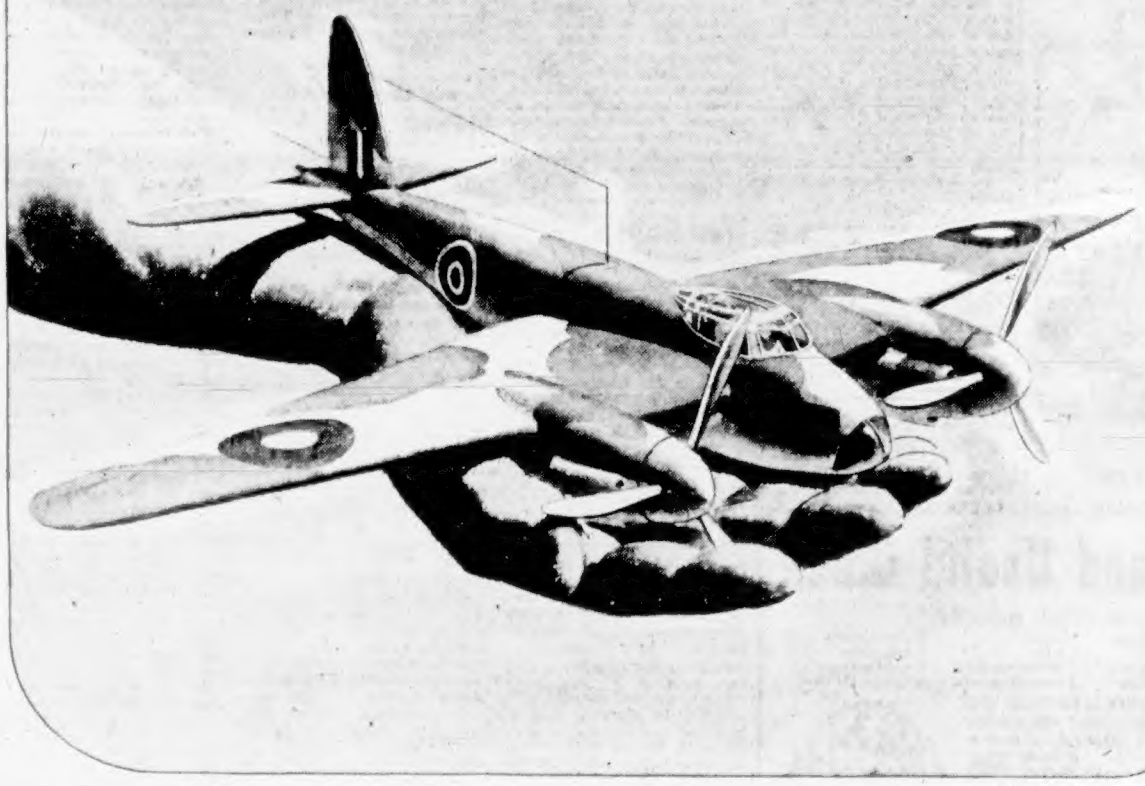

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Social and Personal

Mrs. T. H. Wood has arrived from Regina and is staying at the Angela Hotel.

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Mr. C. M. Hunter, of Victoria, is spending a short time in Vancouver while Mrs. Hunter is in hospital there. During his stay, Mr. Hunter is a guest at Sylvia Court.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lugrin Shaw have returned to their home in Vancouver after spending the week-end in Victoria, guests at the Empress Hotel.

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Mrs. Lawrence Davis, who recently left Victoria to go to Halifax, where she joined her husband, Warrant Writer Davis, R.C.N., has taken up residence on Dutch Village Road.

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Mrs. H. B. French, Dalhousie Street, has returned with her daughter, Miss Marjorie French, from Vancouver, where they spent the week-end with Mrs. French's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. B. French.

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Winnipeg visitors who have arrived in Victoria and are guests at the Empress Hotel include Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Edmunds, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Halls, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Leach, Mrs. Norman Leach, Mrs. E. A. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. A. Thomson, and Lieut. and Mrs. J. B. Kerr.

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A shower was held at the home of Mrs. F. Green, Quatsino, in honor of Miss Marion Olson, with Mrs. F. Green, Mrs. H. Johnson, Mrs. S. Hegglund and Miss Annie Johnson as co-hostesses. There were twenty-six guests present. Miss Olson is leaving for Vancouver, where her marriage will take place shortly.

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Guests at the Empress Hotel include Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Novak, Yorkton, Sask.; Mrs. Claude Gallinger, Edmonton; Mrs. Alex A. Mitchell, Saskatoon; Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McDonald, Calgary; Mrs. H. W. Painton, Edmonton; Mrs. W. B. H. Peakles, Miss Frances E. Peakles, and Miss Dorothy A. Burnett, Vancouver.

The late Hon. Randolph Bruce, one-time Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia and mine owner in this province, of his estate of over £5,700 in Great Britain has left £1,000 to the Elgin General Hospital and £500 to the Glenrinnes School, "to assist a pupil to enter a university." He was the son of the late Rev. Mr. Bruce, Glenrinnes Chuch, and was born in Llanbryde in 1863.

Mrs. R. W. Mayhew, who is in Ottawa with her husband for the session, entertained in the parliamentary restaurant for Miss Pegi Tanner. Covers were laid for sixteen. Miss Tanner is to become the bride of Lieut. J. G. Cockfield, R.C.O.C., son of the late H. R. Cockfield and Mrs. Cockfield, of Westmount, April 10. She is the daughter of Major and Mrs. Frederick I. Tanner, of Ottawa, and granddaughter of Senator and Mrs. Charles E. Tanner, of Pictou, N.S.

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Honoring Miss Thelma Pomeroy, whose marriage will take place next month, Miss Joan Brealey, Admirals Road, entertained at the tea hour on Sunday. On her arrival, the bride-elect was presented with a corsage of red carnations, while her mother, Mrs. S. A. Pomeroy, received one of violets. The tea table was centred with a bowl of Spring flowers in pastel shades. Miss Pomeroy was the recipient of delightful gifts, and the guests included Mrs. S. A. Pomeroy, Mrs. R. A. Narracott and Misses Mary Wilson, Nahlin Williams, Jeanette Empey and Pat Dalby.

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In honor of their son-in-law and daughter, Commander and Mrs. Charles Dillon, who returned to Victoria yesterday after a week's visit to Salt Spring Island, Mr. and Mrs. V. Case Morris entertained about twenty guests on Saturday afternoon at a bouillon party, given at their home, North Salt Spring. The rooms were prettily arranged with pale pink carnations and daffodils, the latter flowers also being used for the decoration of the refreshment table. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cartwright, Mrs. Charlesworth, Mrs. A. R. Layard, Mrs. J. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Robinson, Mrs. W. E. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Speed, Mrs. C. Springford, Mrs. G. B. Young, Misses Simone Chantelu, Vivien Layard, June Mitchell, M. I. Scott, Ormonde Springford.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ted Rigby entertained at their home on Lovatt Street recently in honor of Mrs. Rigby's sister, Miss Sylvia Cunning- [illegible] Sunday night, en route to Rockcliffe, Ont., where she will train in the R.C.A.F. Women's Division. During the evening the guest of honor was presented with a handsome traveling bag with the best wishes of those present, including Major and Mrs. W. G. Cunningham, Lieut.-Cmdr. and Mrs. J. L. Cunningham, Capt. and Mrs. F. Waring, Lieut. and Mrs. J. Holms, Mrs. G. Burgess, Mrs. G. C. Rigby, Mrs. J. Reid, Misses D. Burgess and Jean Cunningham.

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A great-grandmother, Mrs. Lydia Baynton, will on May 8 become the bride of Mr. J. B. Howell, New Westminster, who has twelve grandchildren. The marriage will take place in Kerrisdale United Church, and Mrs. Baynton, who has been extensively entertained during her visit in Victoria, will return to Vancouver on Thursday. While here she has been the guest of Mrs. O. M. Brown, 1903 Lansdowne Road, who was hostess on several occasions for her guest, and today Mrs. J. A. Buckler, Florence Road, is entertaining at a luncheon, and tomorrow Mrs. W. Cuzner, Wilmot Place, will entertain at the tea hour. Following the wedding ceremony a reception will be held at the home of Mrs. Baynton's niece, Mrs. W. E. Peters. Out-of-town guests who will attend the wedding include friends from Harrison Hot Springs, Calgary and Brandon.

Is Eighty-Eight Today

MRS. A. McNEILL

Who today celebrates her eighty-eighth birthday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George E. Robinson, 1385 Johnson Street. She will be the recipient of many good wishes for Mrs. McNeill has a wide circle of friends in Victoria, where she first came with her parents in 1872. Due to a fall a few months ago she has not been out a great deal lately, although a friend remarked: "She is in wonderful spirits, and enjoyed a game of cards on Saturday night. Euchre is her favorite sport!" A grandson, Ernest Robinson, lives at The Uplands, and a great-granddaughter is Dolores Robinson. At one time Mrs. McNeill was active as a nurse, and attended patients for forty-two years.

Witty Kitty

Dieting Dot says the food markets may be offering slim pickin's, but her bathroom scale doesn't tell the same story.

Parent-Teacher Associations

QUADRA STUDY GROUP

Quadra Study Group will meet at the home of Mrs. Thompson, Yates Street, on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

GORDON HEAD

A capacity audience was present in the Gordon Head Hall recently to hear the excellent concert given by cadets, members of the band and staff of the O.T.C., under the auspices of the Gordon Head P.-T.A. Pte. Don Oliver arranged the programme and also officiated as master of ceremonies. Trustee J. L. Burridge, of the Saanich School Board, thanked the artists and introduced Major Melville, the camp chaplain, who spoke a few words. The proceeds will be divided between the school library fund and the sewing and knitting group of the P.-T.A. who have made many articles for the victims of the stricken war areas. Refreshments were served to the artists by the P.-T.A. members. Mrs. C. A. Goodwin, Kings Road, Victoria, was presented with the fruit cake.

Weddings

RAMEY—SMITH

A quiet wedding was solemnized at St. Mary's Church, Saint John, N.B., on Tuesday evening, March 2, when Rev. W. C. V. Martin united in marriage Evelyn Ethora, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Ramey, of Los Angeles, Cal., and Nova Scotia, and Petty Officer Jack Cecil Smith, only son of Mrs. Smith and the late Mr. Andrew J. Smith, of Ganges, B.C.

Given in marriage by Lieut. David Bimey, R.C.N.V.R., Toronto, the bride wore a smart afternoon frock of pale blue, black hat trimmed with matching blue flowers, and corsage bouquet of pink rosebuds. Her only attendant was Mrs. Lucile MacKinnon, Montreal, who, as matron of honor, wore a gold afternoon frock with black accessories. Petty Officer Robert Greenleas, R.C.N.V.R., was groomsman.

Following the ceremony a reception, attended by about twenty guests, was held at the home of the bride's cousin, Miss Anne Allen. The customary toasts were proposed and replied to, and the three-tier wedding cake, which centred the table, was cut by the bride.

After a two weeks' honeymoon, the bride left for her home in Montreal, the bridegroom having rejoined his ship.

HOWARD—BALCOM

St. Patrick's Church, Halifax, was the scene of a pretty wedding on March 17 when Monsignor Donohue solemnized the marriage of Ruth Eleanor, daughter of Mrs. R. J. Balcom, Franklin Terrace, Victoria, and the late R. J. Balcom, and Lt. S. F. Howard, R.C.A., son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Howard, Fairfield Road, Victoria. Attended by Mrs. G. H. O'Neil as matron of honor, the bride was a charming picture in a street length dress of parchment shade, with lace yolk and long-pointed sleeves. She carried a shower bouquet of red roses. Lt. G. H. O'Neil acted as groomsman. Following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the home of Mrs. O'Neil, Summit Avenue, when guests included the bride's mother, Mrs. R. J. Balcom, who attended the wedding and returned to her home in this city on Saturday. After a honeymoon spent at Alpine Lodge, the Laurentians, Lt. and Mrs. Howard will take up residence at 44 Daly Street, Halifax.

I.O.D.E. Chapters

Sir James Douglas Chapter

A meeting of Sir James and Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.D.E., will be held on Thursday afternoon at 2:15 o'clock at headquarters, 202 Union Building.

The land-question is ultimately a religious question.

John Steinbeck Wed Second Time

NEW ORLEANS, March 29 (AP).—John Steinbeck, Pulitzer Prize-winning novelist, and Miss Gwyn Conger, of Los Angeles, were married here this afternoon by Judge Val J. Stenitz, of First City Court.

The marriage licence carried the bride's age as twenty-seven years and the groom's forty-one. A divorce from Carol Steinbeck in California became final eleven days ago. They were married in 1930.

Author of a number of books, Steinbeck won most acclaim for his "Grapes of Wrath," a story of Dust Bowl refugees in California, and "Of Mice and Men."

Honors for Brides-Elect

In honor of Miss Shirley Beeston, Mrs. C. L. Harrison and Mrs. Enid Beeston were joint hostesses at a tea and miscellaneous shower for her on Saturday afternoon. The rooms were decorated with plum blossom, and the bride-elect was presented with a corsage of white hyacinths and narcissi. Mrs. E. K. Beeston and Mrs. John J. Wilson presided at the tea table, which was centred with pale pink candles and Spring flowers. The invited guests were Mrs. E. K. Beeston, Mrs. John J. Wilson, Mrs. J. Lorenzon, Mrs. P. Townsend, Mrs. D. Hodgson, and Misses Eleanor Hourston, Louise Eaton, Margaret Gore-Langton, Mary Armitage, Jo Havard, Nancy Kyle, Hilda Kyle, Geraldine MacAfee, Carla Ellis, Roberta Patterson, Janet Henderson, Kay Dirom, Alice Thompson, Joy James, Isla Mitchell, Joy Turnbull, Dorothy Patterson and Elaine Beeston. During the afternoon Miss Roberta Patterson gave vocal selections accompanied by Miss Nancy Kyle at the piano.

Honoring Miss Thelma Pomeroy, whose marriage to Ldg. S.B.A. Aubrey Robert Baker, R.C.N.V.R., will take place next month, Miss Joan Brealey entertained at the tea hour on Sunday at a miscellaneous shower given at the home of her mother, Mrs. R. A. Narracott, 451 Admirals Road. The bride-elect and her mother, Mrs. S. A. Pomeroy, received corsage bouquets upon their arrival; pink carnations for Miss Pomeroy and violets for the lafter. The tea table was arranged with a centre-piece of Spring flowers in pastel shades in a low crystal bowl, lighted by white candles in crystal holders. Mrs. Narrocott presided and Miss Pomeroy found her pretty gifts at her place at the table. The guests were Mrs. S. A. Pomeroy, Mrs. R. A. Narracott and Misses Mary Wilson, Patricia Dalby, Nahlin Williams and Jeanette Empey.

Baptist Choir Heard In Sunday Concert

Under the leadership of Harold C. Partitt, the choir of Emmanuel Baptist Church was heard in a well-chosen programme of sacred music featuring anthems and selections for ladies' voices on Sunday afternoon at First Baptist Church. Mrs. George H. E. Green presided at the organ and the choir was assisted by Mr. Max Snider, oboeist, and Mr. G. H. E. Green, cornetist.

Mr. Snider gave great pleasure with his Handel selection and obbligato work with the choir. Vocal solos were given by Miss Vera Partitt, Mrs. Norris Harwood and Mr. James Oakman.

Next week the twilight recital will be given by the Georgian Choristers under the direction of Georgina Watt. Miss Ethel James and Mr. J. Smith will play the piano and organ accompaniments.

Girl Guide Notes

TRAINING CLASS

As Miss Hannah and Miss Illingworth are not leaving Victoria as soon as they expected, they have consented to hold another Guiders Training Class this evening in the Scout Headquarters, Johnson Street, commencing at 8 p.m. The recent meeting included compass work, drill, signalling and other items of the war emergency service test and ended with a campfire which included new songs and a story beautifully told by Miss Illingworth. A patrol leaders' field day will be held on Saturday, April 10 in the Pemberton Woods under the direction of Miss Hannah and Miss Illingworth. By permission of Miss Atkins, the Norfolk House School Gymnasium will be available in case of rain. It is important patrol leaders obtain full instructions from their captains as to what to bring. If a patrol leader is unable to attend her second may take her place. The provincial annual meeting will take place in Vancouver on Friday and Saturday, April 16 and 17.

To Aid Mobile Kitchen Unit

MRS. T. H. JOHNS

WHO, with other local musicians, is giving her talent to the concert being sponsored by the Zeta Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, on Friday evening at the Victoria Truth Centre, 734 Fort Street, the proceeds going towards the purchasing of a mobile kitchen unit. Excerpts from "The Mikado" will be a feature of the programme, with Dr. and Mrs. Johns, Mrs. G. A. McCurdy and Mrs. W. S. Moore taking part. Dr. T. H. Johns, baritone, will also be heard in a group of Russian selections and a favorite duet from "Rigoletto" with Mrs. Johns. Accompanists for the vocalists will be Mrs. McCurdy and Mrs. C. S. Beals. The latter will also be heard as solo pianist. Mrs. W. S. Moore, soprano, who has completed two successful seasons with "The Theatre Under the Stars," Malkin Bowl, Vancouver, is also appearing as soloist. Rounding out the interesting programme is Miss Patricia Straughan, talented Victoria violinist, who will play several selections, accompanied by Miss Helen McRae.

Home Canners, Jelly Makers Aided by Special Ration

Home canning takes on a new importance this year. It rests with Canadian housewives to make the fullest use of Canada's fruit crops for wartime food.

Any sugar allowed is in trust. It is patriotic to conserve our home-grown products, for food is today a weapon of war. Housewives are urged, however, to estimate their needs as accurately as possible, remembering that sugar comes to this country at the risk of sailors' lives.

They are also asked to estimate in advance the amount of sugar required for canning and jam making, so that arrangements may be made to provide and distribute the necessary supplies.

The following questions and answers have been prepared by the Wartime Prices and Trade Board in co-operation with the Department of Agriculture, as a guide for the housewife in making her application for sugar for the canning season.

Q.: Where should I send my application card?

A.: To your local ration board.

Q.: When should I fill out my application?

A.: As soon as possible. Your application must be in the hands of your local ration board not later than April 15.

Q.: How can I estimate the amount of sugar I require for canning?

A.: Estimate the total number of quart sealers you plan to put up, then allow ½ pound of sugar for each quart sealer.

Q.: But how can I tell exactly how much of each kind of fruit?

A.: That would be impossible. Don't try to decide exactly the amount of each kind of fruit you will put up. Some fruits may be more plentiful than others. Base your estimates, rather, on the number of sealers you have on hand, on what you put up last year, on what you think your needs will be this year.

Q.: But I also want to make some jam and jelly. How shall I estimate my sugar for these?

A.: One and one-half (1½) pounds of sugar for each quart of jam or jelly.

Q.: But most of my jam or jelly jars are of various shapes. How can I estimate how many quarts they hold?

A.: Take the jars you usually use for jam or jelly and see how many cupfuls of water they hold. Four cups make a quart. If they will hold twenty cups of water, for example, you will require sugar for five quarts.

Q.: How do I list these amounts on my application card?

A.: You will notice that application card reads: "I, holder of this Ration Book No..... make application for ..... pounds of sugar for canning and jelly making. This will make ..... quarts of canned fruit, ... quarts of jam or jelly." You will fill in the blank spaces. You will also fill in the blank which asks the number of persons in your household which you will be feeding. Make sure, too, that you give the serial number of your ration book.

Q.: Are the amounts of sugar allowed for canning and for jam and jelly making adequate?

A.: The amounts are satisfactory for canning and jam and jelly making, as proven by tests in the Dominion Department of Agriculture experimental kitchens.

Q.: Is it true that I should can more fruit and make less jam and jelly?

A.: Yes. The Department of Agriculture recommends canning fruit in preference to making jam or jelly because: 1. More fruit can be put up with less sugar and at less cost. 2. Canned fruit retains more of the vitamin value of the fresh fruit.

Q.: What do I do with the application forms in Ration Book 2 of other members of the family?

A.: Attach to your own application card the application forms from the ration books of the other persons you will be feeding in your household. Do not write anything but the serial numbers of the owners on these other forms. Simply copy the serial numbers from the front of their ration books on to their application forms and pin them to your own fully completed application.

Q.: I haven't very good storage facilities for canned fruit. Is it wise for me to do much canning?

A.: It would be false economy to can a lot of fruit and have it spoil. We cannot afford to have any spoilage of fruit this year. Both fruit and sugar will be too precious to allow for that. So, unless you have a cool, dry cupboard in which to keep your fruit, it is not wise to can.

Q.: Will canning sugar be allowed for all fresh fruits?

A.: Yes. All fresh fruits, including [illegible] canning sugar will not be allowed for marrow, tomatoes and pumpkins as they are considered as vegetables.

Q.: How shall I get my sugar for canning and jam and jelly making?

A.: When your local ration board has reviewed your application you will be provided, sometime before June 1, with special canning sugar coupons. These will entitle you to buy sugar at any grocery store at specified intervals.

What Today Means

"ARIES"

If March 30 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date will be from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m., and from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. The danger periods will be from 7:30 to 9:30 a.m., from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. and from 9:30 to 11:30 p.m.

March 30 will be a day on which it will be extremely advisable to remember the old adage, "Shoemaker, stick to your last," especially should you be tempted to hand out free medical, legal or strategic advice. As a result of surmising the underlying causes of human troubles, many well-meaning busybodies are going to involve themselves in a lot of trouble; so, if you do not know positively what is wrong, it will be wise to refrain from suggesting corrective measures. Guard against any tendency you have to be sarcastic, for the average person will be susceptible to its caustic influence and will harbor resentment that may have an unfavorable reaction on you and your personal affairs. Married and engaged couples, and those whose matrimonial prospects grow brighter day by day, will do well to realize that "familiarity breeds contempt," particularly when, in throwing aside conventionality, it reveals gross vulgarity.

If you are a woman and March 30 is your birthday, urbanity probably adds greatly to your personal charm. You may have a gift for handling people tactfully, especially when telling them of their faults or mistakes, that is apt to be one of your most invaluable assets. You ought to be very clever about visualizing the future, in so far as it affects your personal affairs. Most of your actions are likely to be motivated by an unselfish ambition for someone very dear to you. As a research worker, missionary, theatrical or literary agent, publicity expert, public stenographer, photographer, trained nurse, dietitian, author, dramatist, actress, teacher, or as a result of your activity in defence work, you probably will experience much happiness and pride in your ultimate results. By listening to the dictates of your heart, plus your sense of loyalty and good judgment, you should experience little difficulty in making your married life one which everyone would do well to emulate.

The child born on March 30 generally responds most satisfactorily to appeals made to his sense of reason, justice and generosity. Aries children often experience a feeling of protective responsibility for those of more tender years. A capacity to work hard and to do things unusually well assures a promising future for those born under this sign.

If you are a man and March 30 is your natal day, never belittle a woman's instinct or her intelligence, for both may save you from making serious mistakes. As a scientist, writer, journalist, educator, clergyman, lawyer, doctor, artist, architect, contractor, merchant, sales representative, business executive, theatrical man, or in some branch of our country's fighting services, fame and fortune may be ahead of you.

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Clubs and Societies

W.A. to R.J.H.

The meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Royal Jubilee Hospital will be held at 2:30 p.m., Wednesday, in the Nurses' Home.

Ministering Circle

The Ministering Circle of the King's Daughters will meet on Friday afternoon at headquarters, at 2:30 o'clock.

St. Luke's W.A.

St. Luke's W.A. will meet on Thursday at 2:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall. A daffodil tea will be held at the home of Mrs. Kingsberry, Richmond Road, on Saturday. There will be stalls of home cooking and plants.

W.A. to Navy League

Plans for a St. George's Day tea were made at a meeting of the W.A. to the Navy League of Canada, held recently in the Y.M.C.A., with Mrs. R. Shanks in the chair. The tea will take place April 20 in the Y.M.C.A., with Mrs. Stone in charge. An apron and miscellaneous stall will be in charge of Mrs. Spaven. Proceeds will be devoted to Rainbow Sea Cadets fund. The next meeting will be held on April 30 at 2:30 o'clock in the Y.M.C.A.

Catholic Ladies' Altar Society

The Catholic Ladies' Altar Society held a meeting recently at the Catholic Church, Ganges, with Mrs. D. Fyvie presiding. The pastor, Father Lariviere, was present at the meeting. A sale of work will take place at the Log Cabin on Thursday, July 8. A four-piece silver tea service and tray, donated to the Altar Society by the late Father Scheelen, will be the first prize in a contest, other prizes will include $5 War Savings Stamps, $5 scrip at Spencer's, pair of pillow cases, embroidered tea cloth, year's subscription to The Review.

W.A. to Lady Minto Hospital

The auxiliary to the Lady Minto Gulf Islands Hospital meeting was held recently in the board room of the institution, with the president, Miss Anna Lees, in the chair. The treasurer's report showed $23.58 on hand. Mrs. George St. Denis resigned as treasurer, the position being taken over by Mrs. G. Lowe, who will also act as secretary. The sum of $5 was voted to the Red Cross. A tag day, under the management of Miss Lees, will be held on Saturday for the benefit of the auxiliary. Miss Alice Jeffrey was elected Dorcas secretary.

Junior W.A. to C.C.C.

The James Bay Junior W.A. to Christ Church Cathedral held a meeting recently in the parish Sunday school, Niagara Street, with Mrs. P. Fulthorp, superintendent, in the chair. A pleasing ceremony took place when Mrs. W. Drew, guest of honor, prior to her departure to reside Up-Island, was presented by Mrs. R. C. Keane, diocesan secretary for the W.A., on behalf of the girls, with a gift in remembrance of her faithful work as superintendent of the branch for many years. An impromptu concert followed, sponsored by the members, and refreshments were served.

St. Mary's Guild

The quarterly meeting of St. Mary's Guild was held recently at the home of Mrs. T. M. Jackson, with the president, Mrs. Harold Price, in the chair. Ven. Archdeacon G. H. Holmes opened the meeting with prayer. The sum of $9 was voted towards the Vicarage taxes. The offer by the archdeacon to lecture on and show lantern slides of "The Beauty Spots of Britain" in the Fulford Community Hall was gratefully accepted, and the date was fixed for Friday, April 9. It was decided to help with the annual garden party and church fete to be held next July at Ganges, and also to hold the usual guild sale of work at the home of Mrs. J. J. Shaw, August 3. Mrs. A. Ensley donated $2 towards St. Mary's Guild fund. Tea hostess was Mrs. E. Tassell.

King's Daughters

The district meeting of the King's Daughters was held at headquarters on Monday afternoon with Mrs. A. M. Perry in the chair. The rooms were open for twenty-four days and were visited by 1,622 patrons. Circle reports showed the usual amount of work being carried on. The L. H. Hardie Circle is working on a patchwork quilt. The Speedwell Circle has received acknowledgment from England for a crib cover sent to the wife of a Canadian soldier. A donation was made to the Red Cross and the patient in Mount St. Mary's Hospital visited and supplied with flowers. Hawthorne Circle has given assistance to two local families during the past month. Fellowship Circle is continuing to sew and knit for Bundles for Britain; a large carton of clothing, blankets and two afghans being lately contributed. Ready-to-Help Circle has purchased flannelette to make garments for elderly people in need. Ministering Circle is busy knitting. The report of the Local Council of Women was given by the vice-president, Mrs. T. D. Roberts. The highlights of the recent provincial executive meeting of the King's Daughters held in Vancouver were recounted by the president, Mrs. A. M. Perry. It was announced that a convention will be held in Vancouver in May and delegates will be appointed from the six circles here.

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Recreational Activities For Women War Workers

"What is there to do after work today?" That is the Canadian war worker's question when he, or she, is in a strange town, with an urge for interesting relaxation to relieve the tension of long working hours and not much money to spend on fun. A survey of pastimes for leisure hours in Canada shows a high cost of entertainment and a narrow choice of opportunities for relaxation.

The Government is alive to this problem. Captain Ian Eisenhart, formerly of Vancouver, Welfare Division, National Selective Service, Ottawa, is directing a national recreation plan for Canada's war workers. Special emphasis is being placed on the recreation for women war workers. This plan has the enthusiastic support of labor, employers, recreational groups and youth organizations. Under Captain Eisenhart's guidance the plans should work out to more fun for less money for war workers in those precious scant hours of leisure.

Boredom is a Class "A" saboteur; it takes the zest out of life. Captain Eisenhart's idea is that exciting, interesting leisure gives a zip to living, helps make the worker fit, physically, mentally and spiritually, and so gives a boost to production.

Starting the middle of March and continuing to April 16, Captain Eisenhart announced special three-day [illegible] with the recreation of the war workers will be given under the sponsorship of National Council, Y.W.C.A. These are being held in half a dozen cities from Winnipeg west and similar courses are planned later for Eastern Canada. The courses are open to anyone interested in this particular field.

Any questions about the course can be addressed to Captain Eisenhart, National Selective Service, in Ottawa.

Council Refuses Levy Proposed By School Board

NANAIMO, March 29.—Nanaimo City Council tonight refused to grant a request of the school trustees that provision be made for a one mill tax levy for the purpose of creating a building fund.

Recently the council criticized the the management of the Veterans' Sightseeing & Transportation Company regarding the condition of buses being used on city streets. Tonight they received a letter from H. L. Sangster, managing director of the company, explaining that the company had found it impossible to purchase three new buses, and quoting in part a letter received from the regional transit controller. The latter maintained that Nanaimo not only did not need new buses but that he had been seriously considering the closing down of the services in Nanaimo entirely owing to war conditions, etc. The council accepted the explanation as satisfactory.

Troops Entertained

The Music Makers' Concert Party from Vancouver, consisting of an all-girl show, made a visit to the Y.M.C.A. Hut at Macaulay on Sunday and rendered an exceptionally good show to the troops stationed in and around that camp. Each act was received with great applause from the soldiers.

The artists taking part were Martha MacNaughton, songs; June Govilk, piano accordion; Vivian Ellis and Jennie MacLean, popular music; Molly Davis, monologues; Gene McLean and Martha McNaughton, duets. Director and accompanist for the show was Mrs. MacLean.

Some of the parts of a torpedo must be accurate within a limit of twenty-five millionths of an inch.

Prominent Local Contractor Dies At Advanced Age

James E. Thomas Well Known Here

After fifty-seven years' residence in Victoria, James Edward Thomas, prominent as a contractor here, died on Sunday morning at his home, 152 Wellington Street. He was ninety years of age.

Born in Chesley, Bruce County, Ont., in 1852, he came to Victoria with his family in 1886. His wife died in 1939, and they had observed their diamond wedding anniversary in 1937.

Among the many city buildings Mr. Thomas had to his credit were old Colonist Building, Jewel Block, Centennial Church; Turner, Beeton Building, and the Five Sisters Block.

In spite of his age, Mr. Thomas was keenly aware of current events, and was vitally interested in the progress of the war, having six grandsons in the armed forces of the United States and Canada.

He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. C. A. Gardner, at home, and Mrs. A. B. John, of Portland, Ore.; a son, Dr. M. W. Thomas, Vancouver; two granddaughters, Ilace E. Gardner, at home, and Mrs. D. Jones, Portland; seven grandsons, G. M. Gardner, Seattle; G. D. Thomas, R.C.A.F., in Vancouver; P. J. Thomas, R.C.A.F., overseas; Cpl. A. S. Thomas, in the Canadian army; P.O. R. Thomas, R.C.A.F. overseas; Cpl. W. J. John, United States army; C. J. John, United States, Navy; three great-granddaughters, Phyllis Jones, Kathryn Jones and Janet John.

Funeral services will be held on Wednesday at 2 p.m. in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel. Rev. Dr. A. E. Whitehouse will conduct the service, and burial will be made in the family plot, Ross Bay Cemetery.

During the first Great War, the length of torpedoes increased from ten to twenty-four feet.

Little Stories for Bedtime

By Thornton W. Burgess

WHERE OLD MAN COYOTE HAD BEEN

Never say a thing is so
Until you really, truly know.

Sammy Jay awoke in a bad state of mind. Yes, sir, he was in a bad state of mind. He felt cheap, dreadfully cheap. He couldn't remember when he had felt so cheap. You see, he had discovered that Old Man Coyote had given up his home in the far corner of the Green Meadows. Then he had looked for several days in every place he could think of, but found no trace of Old Man Coyote. At once he had made up his mind that Old Man Coyote had left the Green Meadows for good, and promptly had flown all over the Green Meadows, to the Smiling Pool, and through the Green Forest, telling everyone he met that Old Man Coyote had left. Then, just before he fell asleep that night, what should he hear but the voice of Old Man Coyote himself. Do you wonder that Sammy Jay felt cheap as he sat in a hemlock tree and thought it all over?

Now it is a funny thing how some people feel when they have done something foolish. They get angry, not with themselves, but with someone else who isn't to blame at all. Sammy Jay did. The more he thought it over the angrier he grew. And whom do you think he was angry with? Why, Old Man Coyote! Yes, sir, Sammy Jay was angry with Old Man Coyote for not having gone away when he, Sammy, had said he had. Of course, that was perfectly silly, but do you know there are lots of people just as silly as that? They do foolish things and then try to put the blame on others. Of course, Old Man Coyote didn't know anything about this. All that time when Sammy Jay had been looking for him and couldn't find him he had been very busy, very busy, indeed. He had been making a new home. You see, he had felt that he could not live with any peace of mind in his old home in the far corner of the Green Meadows now that Farmer Brown's Boy knew where it was. He would never feel safe there again. That meant that either he must leave the Green Meadows and the Green Forest altogether or else that he must find a very secret place in which to make a new house, a place where no one would think to look for him. It was just this last that he decided to do, for he liked the Green Meadows and the Green Forest too well to leave them altogether.

Now, on the Green Meadows there was no place so lonely and which had so few visitors as the far corner where he had had his home, so right away he decided that as this had been found he would have to leave the Green Meadows and look for a place close to them. He went straight to the Green Forest and all through it, looking for a place to make a new home. But there he could find no place to please him. Besides, he didn't care to live in the Green Forest if he could help it. He wanted a more open place, a place that was more like the open country of the great wide West, where he had been born. So he left the Green Forest and went over to the Old Pasture. This was better. To be sure, it was much overgrown with bushes and tangles of vines, but there were open places, and it was not at all like the dark depths of the Green Forest, where the trees were so tall and shut out the sunlight. Then, too, those tangled vines and briers made splendid hiding places.

So Old Man Coyote made up his mind that if he could find just the right spot in the Old Pasture that was the place for a new home. Very carefully he went all over it, and at last he found just what he was looking for. In the middle of a great tangle of bushes and vines were some great rocks which formed a very tiny cave. In this Old Man Coyote began to dig, and to his great delight he found that he could dig down and under the rocks. It wasn't easy digging, but it could be done. So he went to work with might and main, and that is where he was and what he was doing all the time Sammy Jay had been looking for him. He had finished his new house the very afternoon that Sammy spread the news that he had gone away.

Next story: "Sammy Jay wishes he hadn't been so hasty."

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Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 500 words in length.

STATE OWNERSHIP

Sir,—You have been saying many true things about the C.C.F. in your editorial columns of late, but in some instances I think your strictures have been a trifle too severe. It is true the C.C.F. members put on airs of almost unbearable superiority at times and they also lay more stress on rights than on duties or sacrifices, but at least they proceed on democratic and constitutional lines and for that we should be thankful.

I believe it was in the early thirties that the C.C.F. first began to advocate state ownership, and as there was much displacement of men by machinery in those days (with failure of free enterprise to cope with the situation), the plan had its points. There was also the example of municipal ownership and big business such as the Ontario Hydro-Electric to look at, and there is not much sign of soul-destroying regimentation about these things.

However, it is evident the C.C.F. does not believe in public ownership all along the line, since they would leave the land alone, so I think they would do well to revert to their former policy of the "middle way," which has proved so successful in the Scandinavian countries, or, at least, did so before the Nazi occupation. In these countries (Sweden included) free enterprise was allowed, but any faults or abuses arising from its operations was quickly rectified, and there existed also much Government-planned economy with no Nazism apparent.

There is not the slightest danger, Mr. Editor, of Canadians adopting the Nazi philosophy, no matter what system of domestic politics is tried, because, like the Scandinavians, we are not just built that way.

J. CHRISTIE

707 Blanshard Street, Victoria, B.C.
March 26, 1943.

CHLORINATED WATER

Sir,—It would be most unfortunate if the people of Victoria disfigured the pages of their city's history by their opposition to a wartime emergency measure, the chlorination of water.

Let us not permit the Japanese to add a military victory to their list of outstanding bacteriological achievements. Some judiciously disposed cultures of enteric bacteria would make us a pushover. Chlorine is indeed unpleasant to the taste, but it is preferable to the prospects of enteric fevers (e.g. typhoid), dysentery and cholera.

Undoubtedly the "authorities" had some such idea in mind, but, knowing that we are touchy and resent "eastern" domination, perhaps visualized the fun of seeing us infuriated at the implication that our water supply is polluted. If they are angling for suckers, let us not bite.

Most of the fears of possible harm wrought by chlorinated water are unwarranted. We need have no apprehension about the effects on our victory gardens. Indeed it is quite the reverse. It is quite unlikely to affect our tea or coffee since gases distil off rapidly from boiling water. As for the suggestion that chlorine would make the water hard, the fact is that the water is slightly hard, and chlorine would tend to return it to neutrality. The "spite-from-Ottawa" theory deserves a prize.

As an alternative to chlorination we might suggest that they get busy on us with hypodermic needles and vaccines, etc.

KENNETH GRAHAM

316 Michigan Street, Victoria, B.C.
March 26, 1943.

THE CHLORINATION SCANDAL

Sir,—Chlorine is one of the most horrible gases known to science. It is obtained by mixing hydrochloric acid with peroxide of manganese. Many metals are dissolved by hydrochloric acid, which is used mainly to supply chlorine for bleaching. Chlorine gas has a yellowish green color and has the most unsupportable suffocating odor. When pure it causes immediate death to any animal coming in contact with it. Even when largely diluted with air it cannot be inspired with safety. It occasions severe stricture of the lungs, which makes full inspiration impossible and may produce permanently injurious effects. It is only partly soluble in water, the solution having the color and odor of the gas. In combination with nitrogen it produces one of the most explosive substances known. Being a powerful irritant, it is detrimental to human health and injurious to the delicate tissues of the body and in particular of the intestines. Swimmers in public baths know how it burns the eyes and throat. Its use in drinking water is condemned by all leading biologists except in cases of dire necessity. It is highly injurious to all forms of plant life.

There is no justification for contaminating our pure-water supply with this foul chemical, which should never be used unless water is polluted by sewerage or animal matter. Such action is outrageous, and the City Council would be fully justified in leaving Ottawa to do its own dirty work. Our only remedy is to unite in driving from power what is surely the most incompetent, wasteful and tyrannical Government with which this country has ever been cursed.

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VETERAN SOLDIER DEAD

QUEBEC, March 29 (CP).—Col. Oscar Pelletier, eighty, Knight of the French Legion of Honor and a veteran of the Northwest Rebellion and the Boer War, died at his home Sunday. He was the son of Sir Charles Alphonse Pantaleon Pelletier, a former Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Quebec.

RUDOLPH KOMMER PASSES

NEW YORK, March 29 (AP).—Rudolph Kommer, fifty-three, newspaperman, lecturer and theatrical producer, died Sunday from a heart ailment. Kommer, born in Czernowitz, which at the time was a part of Austria but which now is a part of Rumania, was once chief of the United Press Bureau of Geneva, Switzerland. Kommer joined Max Reinhardt in 1922 in the production of plays in Europe and America.

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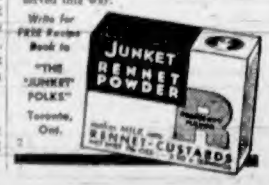

MARINE and TRANSPORTATION

Labor Turnover Is Serious at Seattle Plant

SEATTLE, March 29 (AP).—Production schedules for Boeing bombers will be endangered by the end of the year if workers continue to quit faster than they can be hired by the company, Harold J. Gibson, president of the Boeing Aircraft Workers' Union, said in an interview.

"Boeing will lose 30 per cent of its personnel, despite the hiring that is going on, if the employee loss continues at the present rate for the rest of the year," Gibson said. "Some readjustment of conditions must be made in order to meet these schedules."

Wage dissatisfaction, desire for other jobs and "going back to the farm" were cited by Gibson as principal reasons for the loss of men. Wage dissatisfaction also is resulting in absenteeism.

Boeing workers walked out this Spring and the large plants closed for half a day as a result of wage disagreement. The War Labor Board has since granted a four and a half-cent per hour increase in the sixty-two and a half-cent starting wage at Boeing plants. The union previously had asked for a ninety-five-cent starting wage to equalize aircraft workers' pay with that of other war workers in this area.

Merchant Ship Toll

NEW YORK, March 29 (AP).—Loss of five cargo ships, announced last week as sunk by Axis submarines in the Western Atlantic, raised to 639 The Associated Press tabulation of the officially-announced toll of Allied and neutral merchant vessels in those waters since the United States entered the war.

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Survivors Happy to Be Home on Furlough

Wearing a curious mixture of borrowed army battle dress, Red Cross garments from Algiers and odds and ends of naval uniforms, survivors from H.M.C.S. Louisburg arrived at an East Coast Canadian port recently. Happy to be home, they told how their corvette was sunk by air attack in the Mediterranean. Left to right, they are: Sig.-Yeoman J. McNeney, New Westminster; Stoker P.O. A. McIntyre, Victoria; A.B. H. Rhodes, New Westminster; Ldg. Str. W. Oliphant, Vancouver; A.B. E. McLean, New Westminster.

Carley Float Saved Lives Of Sailors From Corvette

OTTAWA, March 29 (CP).—Men who survived the sinking of the Canadian corvette Louisburg owe their lives to the functioning of the Carley floats, three of which were put into the water and into which practically all the forty-eight survivors piled, Lieut. R. A. Jarvis, of Toronto, said at a press conference here today.

Lieut. Jarvis, first lieutenant on the Louisburg, was accompanied by Yeoman of Signals J. R. McNenny, of New Westminster, B.C., and A.B. W. M. Ritson-Bennett, of Calgary, who, with a number of other survivors, reached Canada a few days ago for leave.

Their ship, sunk by torpedo during an attack by Italian aircraft, was the first Canadian vessel to serve in the Mediterranean. It sailed with a convoy escort from the United Kingdom for North Africa but about half-way there was ordered to put into Gibraltar and then worked in the escorting of several other convoys carrying the troops which took over French African territories.

The three Louisburg survivors told the press conference they have a healthy respect for the Italian aircraft which attacked them. It was a small hit-and-run raid by five torpedo planes and besides getting the Louisburg the Italians sank two ships in the convoy.

BEAUTIFULLY CO-ORDINATED

"It was a beautifully co-ordinated attack," said Riston-Bennett.

While he said he would like to stay with his shipmates, McNenny said he also wants to serve on a destroyer, but would compromise on one of the new frigates.

"Corvettes are good sea ships but they haven't the speed of a destroyer," he said. "I want to go places in a hurry."

AN EASTERN CANADIAN PORT, March 29 (CP).—Tribute to a gunner who, despite the order to abandon ship stuck grimly to his weapon, determined to "get" the torpedo plane which sank the Canadian corvette Louisburg in the Mediterranean was paid here by Petty Officer James McNenny, Royal Canadian Navy, of New Westminster, B.C., who was the corvette's yeoman of signals.

"I'd like to pay tribute to one of the lads who didn't survive," said McNenny. "He was on one of the Oerlikons. He was Stanley Benjamin, of Saint John, N.B. I don't know whether he got over the side or not, but he didn't survive."

Able Seaman Herbert Rhodes, R.C.N.V.R., of New Westminster, B.C., teamed with A.B. Earl Griffin, R.C.N.V.R., of Dalhousie Junction, N.S., to set the depth charges to "safe" as the air action started. "Griffin's work probably saved many lives," said Rhodes. "He was by the depth charge rails when the torpedo hit, and was lost."

Petty Officer A. McIntyre, of Victoria, was standing by the flooding valves and escaped without incident, as did A.B. Elvin McLean, of New Westminster, who was standing by at the bottom of the four-inch magazine, ready to pass up ammunition.

RECALL ESCAPE WHEN SHIP SANK

Their escape from the suction created by the sinking Canadian corvette Louisburg as she headed beneath the waves of the Mediterranean after being torpedoed by an aerial torpedo were recalled by three Western Canadian seamen as they reached here today on survivors' leave.

One was Able Seaman Donald Stewart, R.C.N.V.R., of Winnipeg, who was standing by his action station on the four-inch gun deck when the torpedo plane attacked. When he heard the order to abandon ship, Stewart went to the Louisburg's starboard side and overboard.

"The ship started to sink and sucked me below the surface," he said. "But as I started to go down, I grabbed the side of a Carley float. That was what brought me to the top again . . . In a little while ten survivors had reached my float and we laughed and sang, hoping some ship would see us."

Telegraphist Kenneth Crowe, R.C.N.V.R., of Moose Jaw, Sask., said that when the lights went out and the ship began to list he scrambled up to the starboard side of the wheelhouse, dived in after a float which had just been tossed overboard and was later picked up by a destroyer.

Able Seaman Lorne Gibson, of Saskatoon, also was nearly sucked under with the ship as she went to the bottom.

He was standing by the port Oerlikon gun when the plane dropped the torpedo, and followed the captain off the bridge when he gave orders to abandon ship. The captain went below, but Gibson jumped overside from starboard, broke away, swam to a float and was picked up with the rest of the men by a destroyer.

Leading Stoker James Willett, of Fredericton, survivor of the sunken corvette Louisburg, told in an interview here how his life was saved by Seaman Hugh Merriweather, of Edmonton, who died when the Louisburg was sent to the bottom by an Italian aerial torpedo.

Willett had been ordered to take cover when an Italian aircraft launched the attack on the little warship, and then he jumped into the water, although unable to swim, when the torpedo hit.

"I was struggling around, trying to keep afloat, when Hughie swam to me and gave me his life-jacket," said Willett. "Then the suction took both of us under. My life-jacket and the explosion brought me back, but Hughie never came up. I guess you'd say he gave his life to save mine."

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Trans-Canada Plans Ocean Test Flight

OTTAWA, March 29 (CP).—H. J. Symington, president of Trans-Canada Air Lines, said today before the House of Commons railway committee, that T.C.A. would prefer to be Canada's only representative in postwar trans-oceanic flying, but private companies will not enter the field.

A liberal mail route will be essential to maintaining trans-ocean service, Symington said in outlining briefly the preparations being made for the opening of T.C.A. trans-Atlantic service as soon as possible. A test flight is planned in the immediate future, he revealed.

Munitions Minister Howe, referring to land services, said there was no intention of extending T.C.A. service to branch lines. Air line operation was coming to be considered "a monopoly" which was "not susceptible to competition," he said.

The committee, which today held its first meeting, elected Dr. J. P. Howden (Lib., St. Boniface) as chairman.

"Any competition between two companies of any one country would be fatal," Symington said. "There will be enough competition between countries."

A large plane was now engaged in operations which would include a flight to England, he added.

The committee turned down a motion by Hon. R. B. Hanson (Prog. Con., York-Sudbury) to have tabled a list of salaries of T.C.A. operating officials.

Symington said he opposed the proposal, on principle. A public company should as far as possible be operated as a private company and its employees should not be singled out for scrutiny because they worked for a public company.

Australian Ace Is Missing in Pacific

LONDON, March 29 (AP).—Squadron Leader Keith (Bluey) Truscott, ace Royal Australian Air Force fighter pilot, is missing and believed killed in the Southern Pacific, a message from Australia said today.

Truscott shot down eleven planes while flying from bases in Britain. He returned to Australia early in 1942.

In May, 1942, a wealthy Melbourne sportsman, John Wren, asked Truscott to accept and share with his friend, the late Paddy Finucane, £1,000 as a token of "personal appreciation and gratitude," but military regulations barred him from accepting the gift. Finucane was killed last July 14.

Serving With Navy

SUB-LIEUT. JOHN W. ALLISON

Son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Allison, 1413 Vining Street, who, after spending his furlough in Victoria, is now on his way to an Eastern station. John is well known in Y.M.C.A. circles for his work in connection with the physical activities of the boys. For several years he was president of the Radiotrician Association of Victoria, and was a member of the Kent-Roach staff for fourteen years before joining the R.C.N.V.R.

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R.C.N. Casualties

OTTAWA, March 29 (CP).—In its 161st casualty list of the war, the Royal Canadian Navy tonight reported one man died by drowning, one previously reported missing on war service now presumed dead, and one died in military hospital at Gibraltar of injuries suffered when his ship was sunk by enemy action. Following is the latest list of casualties:

Died by drowning on March 22, 1943—A.B. Harold Edward Elsworth, Winnipeg. Previously reported missing on war service—lost at sea—now presumed dead as of Nov. 29, 1942—A.B. Clifford Frederick Slingsby, Winnipeg. Died in the military hospital at Gibraltar of injuries received when the ship in which he was serving was sunk by enemy action overseas—A.B. Dorn MacQuarrie McGaw, Kincardine, Ont.

It is good to be merry and wise.

Takes Over Command

LONDON, March 29 (CP).—Sqdn. Ldr. Donald Ball, of Edmonton, has assumed command of an R.C.A.F. Spitfire squadron which is in the forefront of fighter sweeps over Northern France, R.C.A.F. Headquarters announced today.

Ball, twenty-two, was formerly a flight commander for the squadron and succeeds Sqdn. Ldr. Norman Bretz, of Toronto, who has been appointed to other duties.

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Glancing Over Sport—

By JOE DELAHUNTY

TWO CLOSE DECISIONS

They couldn't have been any closer; in fact they were too close for a person with a jumpy "ticker" to sit by his radio and listen to the broadcasts. We are referring, of course, to the results of the hockey game in Calgary and the cage final at Varsity gymnasium in which both Victoria standard-bearers came through in sensational style. . . . The troops nosed out Currie Barracks by the odd goal in seven to knot the British Columbia-Alberta play-downs at two each and big Julian Sawchuk, rugged defenceman, came through with the winning tally six and a half minutes from the gong to be the hero of the battle. Tomorrow night the last game is scheduled, so yours truly sneaks out on the limb and picks Victoria to usher Calgary to the side lines by two goals. . . . Thrills galore were tossed into the provincial basketball final at the Point Grey institution, but Victoria R.C.A.F. pulled through by a single point after a spectacular comeback. Trailing by eleven points as the last quarter opened the Flyers went to work and closed the gap with some rapid-fire baskets. . . . It was left for high-scoring Norm Baker to enact the hero's role over there. After breaking through to sink a field goal he was awarded two foul shots and he made them both good and, at the same time, put the airmen in front 42-41 with seconds remaining, and that's the way it ended. . . . I understand that all the games will be played on the Mainland as there is no place big enough here to make it a financial success. It's too bad for if Victoria reaches the Dominion final, that means the series will be held in Vancouver, and that's not playing cricket with the local fans.

ODDS AND ENDS

There seems to be a great difference of opinion over the estimate of the crowd which watched the Army vs. R.C.A.F. basketball play-off in Vancouver last Friday night. One fan, who was at the game, told me that there wasn't any more than between 200 and 300 present, while Doug Peden states that the attendance was even larger than for the Saturday night fixture between the Flyers and Varsity. Newspaper accounts of the game are so varied that a person is at a loss just what to believe. Well, who cares anyhow, that little get-together is now history. . . . Here's a list of the former National Hockey League players the Ottawa Commandos have ready for the final drive towards the Allan Cup now that they have finished their task of winning the Quebec League title: Jim Henry, Ken Reardon, Bingo Kampman, Joe Cooper, Neil and Mac Colville, Alex. Shibicky, Jack McGill, Gordon Bruce, Paul Drouin and Ken Kilrea. What a sweet club to strip in anybody's league. If they don't win that cup they ought to call in Judge Landis to investigate the reason why. . . . This season if National League baseball games are called for any reason but the weather—Sunday curfews, catching trains etc., they will be regarded as "suspended" games and must be completed when the clubs get together again. . . . Emerson Woodward, who already has more race horses than he can watch, found eighteen new foals awaiting "Valdina" names the last time he visited his Texas farmyard. . . . Most of the soccer fans in the city woke up Sunday morning and found there was a match at the Athletic Park the previous afternoon. That was one day they should have called off a game. Less than twenty of the faithful paid their way into the park to watch the boys wade through the mud as they got thoroughly soaked.

FROM HERE AND THERE

Remember when Eric Phelps retained his English sculling championship four years ago yesterday—when peace reigned in the Old Land—by defeating Lou Barry by six lengths over the four and a quarter mile course from Putney to Mortlake? The war stopped this event and Phelps is still champion in the books as far as the records are concerned. . . . Also remember when Detroit Red Wings won their first National Hockey League championship nine years ago tonight when they defeated Toronto Maple Leafs, defending champion, 1-0, in the fifth game of the play-off series? Detroit topped the league in 1936, 1937 and the season which just ended . . . Do you know that it will be ten years ago tomorrow night that the famous Winnipeg Toilers basketball team met with the greatest disaster in the history of the sport in Canada? Returning from an exhibition series in Tulsa, Oklahoma, their plane crashed on nearing the boundary line and two of their stars, Mike Shea and Joe Dodds, were killed. All the rest of the squad were injured, some badly, and therefore the Winnippers had to drop from the Canadian play-downs. They were to meet Raymond Union Jacks in the Western semi-finals, but it was called off and the Alberta champions came to Victoria to face the Blue Ribbons, who eliminated the Jacks without much trouble. . . . The Commandos from Ottawa are still staging successful raids into enemy territory on the hockey battlefront. Last night they tripped up the powerful Toronto R.C.A.F. in the first of their series by two goals. . . . Tonight's hockey winners in the N.H.L. at a glance from this corner: Toronto to knot the series with the Wings by a single goal margin, and Boston to eliminate a game-fighting Montreal squad by three goals.

VICTORIA ARMY TRIUMPHS TO TIE UP ICE SERIES

Flyers Come Back To Nip Students

Sensational Finish Gives 42-41 Cage Verdict to Victorians

VANCOUVER, March 29 (CP)—Victoria R.C.A.F. edged out Varsity Thunderbirds, 42-41, here tonight for the airmen's second straight victory in the best-of-five British Columbia senior "A" men's basketball finals. Victoria won the first game, 48-47, in overtime. Third game will be played here tomorrow night.

The airmen were forced to stage a great fourth-quarter rally to overcome a long lead held by the Vancouver League champions. The Victoria quintette outscored the students, 14-2, in the final quarter.

Victoria led 13-12 at the end of the first quarter and maintained the margin by 19-18 at half-time. Then the students went on a scoring rampage to collect twenty-one points while the Islanders were getting nine to end the third quarter with Varsity leading, 39-28.

Norm Baker again was the leading scorer for the airmen with sixteen points. Stout had ten, Pay eight, Goldsmith four, and McKeachie and Lands two each.

Robertson was high scorer for Varsity with fourteen. Sykes got nine, and Johnston and Barton six each, and Franklin and Stilwell three each.

FLYERS TRAIL IN LATE STAGES

With three minutes to go the airmen were trailing, 38-39. Sykes then dropped in a basket for the only Varsity points of the quarter and the Birds were ahead, 41-38.

Art Barton then fouled Baker as Norm broke away to score a bucket shot. Harry Franklin protested the decision and Gummy Leach called a technical. Baker dropped in both free shots and the Flyers went ahead by one point, which remained as the final score.

But there was still plenty of excitement left in the one minute of play remaining. On a Varsity time-out, Ralph Pay, of the Air Force, walked off the floor and Leach again called a technical. Sandy Robertson, who had already missed three free throws in the last quarter, was elected to take the gift throw and he kept his record clean by missing the fourth.

Sykes missed a bucket shot on the next play and the bell sounded as a long one-hander by Lefty Barton rimmed the hoop.

Norm Baker was the hero of the game and Franklin, of Varsity, was the goat.

Baker had tossed a free throw in the first game to deadlock the count in regulation time and force overtime which allowed the Airmen to win. Tonight he scored the basket that sent the rampaging Airmen to within one point of Varsity.

Then, under great pressure, with the game depending on his plays, Baker made good on the free shot on a foul and duplicated on a free shot on a technical to give the Victoria team the lead.

Franklin was the goat because his protest resulted in the referees awarding the technical which allowed the Airmen to make it two straight. Varsity had scored a flock of points in the third quarter and were leading 39-38 going into the final ten minutes. But the students could get only two points in that last quarter.

Line-ups:

Victoria—N. Baker 16, Goldsmith 4, Stout 10, Pay 8, McKeachie 2, Baker, Phelan, McKim, Lands 2. Total, 42.

Vancouver—Johnson 6, Franklin 3, Barton 6, Robertson, 14, Sykes 9, Westcott, Bakken, Stilwell 3, Yorke, Hayward. Total, 41.

Officials—Hall and Leach.

Edmonton in Cage Victory

Air Force Defeats Raymond Hoopmen

EDMONTON, March 29 (CP).—Edmonton R.C.A.F. Red Devils won the Alberta Senior Men's Basketball title by defeating Raymond Union Jacks, 49-40, in the second game of a two-game total point series. The airmen won the first game Thursday 67-44 and took the series by thirty-two points.

Red Devils now meet the winner of the Winnipeg-Saskatoon series in a two goal total-goal series to be played here April 12 and 14. The winner of that series will go to British Columbia to play the Coast winner April 16, 17, and 19 in a best of three affair.

Winners of the Eastern title this year will play in the West, meeting the Western winner on its home floor in a best of five series set for April 23, 24, 26, 28 and 30.

LINE-UPS

Edmonton—Ellory Gill; Busher Jackson, 9; Almar Baker; David Main; Don Gray, 14; Bruce Fisher; Pete Boone, 2; Jim Bardsley, 8; John Kaminsky, 16; Red Watson. Total—49.

Raymond—Robert Dunlop, 2; Alma Evans; Don Nilsson, 5; Red Turner, 2; Doral Stone, 11; Leonard Rolfson, 4; Butler Naider, 16. Total—40.

COLLEGIANS WIN

St. Louis College, under fourteen footballers yesterday eked out a 1-0 victory over the Maple Leafs in a Lower Island Cup semi-final played at Heywood Avenue.

V's and Royals meet tomorrow, and the winner will oppose St. Louis College in the final next Saturday.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT . . . By Ripley

EXPLANATION OF SUNDAY'S CARTOON

The Old Church of Danville—About 1760 the settlers of Danville, N.H., set aside fifty-five acres of forest land for the support of the church. Ever since sale of the timber supported the church and parsonage, and has resulted in the accumulation of a large surplus.

Please address all queries to Cartoonist Ripley, c/o King Features, New York City, N.Y.

Hockey Pals Rivals on English Ice

Partners for years with the Boston Bruins, Cpl. Milt Schmidt (left) and Cpl. Woody Dumart, of Kitchener, Ont., found themselves in strange roles recently when they opposed each other on English ice as members of Royal Canadian Air Force bomber squadron teams. Dumart's team won the group championship in the Midlands area of Great Britain. The former National Hockey League stars are now physical training instructors.

Detroit Triumphs Over Toronto, 4-2

Red Wings Move Closer to Finals by Win on Sunday; Games Set Tonight

DETROIT, March 29 (CP).—Detroit Red Wings stood within one game today of reaching the Stanley Cup finals for the second consecutive season following a week-end split of points with Toronto Maple Leafs.

Manager Jack Adams' National Hockey League champions took a 3-2 lead in the best of seven semi-final series here on Sunday by shading Leafs 4-2 with a three-goal, third-period rally before an estimated 14,000 fans at Olympia Stadium. Wings lost 6-3 to Toronto on Saturday at the Canadian city.

The clubs pick up the play-off thread again at Toronto on Tuesday with a seventh game, if necessary, carded for Detroit on Thursday.

Veteran Sid Abel sank the tying goal at 2:18 of the third period and added another a second before the final siren after Mud Bruneteau cashed a pass from Jack Stewart for the deciding tally.

Earlier, Mel Hill and Babe Pratt scored second-period markers for Leafs to offset Eddie Wares' first Detroit goal.

CHANGES IN THE LINE-UP

Both clubs made line-up changes. Detroit recalled Harold Jackson and Adam Brown from Indianapolis Capitals of the American League to replace Syd Howe and Alex Motter, who suffered injuries at Toronto on Saturday. Also hurt Saturday was Leafs' Gaye Stewart, who suffered knee and ankle injuries when his skate caught in the boards after a body slam. He was replaced by Joe Klukay, forward with Stratford Krohlers, of the Junior "A" Ontario Association, this season.

Leafs gave the best performance of the series before 15,344 home fans Saturday. But they had to be in top form to hold off Carl Liscombe, who tallied two of Detroit's goals and set up the third for Abel.

The Stanley Cupholders were revitalized by the return to action of Dave (Sweeney) Schriner, who collected a goal and two assists, as did Norman (Bud) Poile, while Billy Taylor, Bucko McDonald, Bob Davidson and Mel Hill also counted for Toronto.

Stewart may miss the balance of the series. He did not play in Detroit Sunday.

LINE-UPS

Toronto—Broda; R. Hamilton, Pratt; Taylor; Carr, Schriner, Subs: McDonald, Jones, J. Hamilton, Davidson, Hill, Poile, McLean, Klukay.

Detroit—Mowers; Orlando, Stewart; Abel; Bruneteau, Liscombe. Subs: Simon, Jackson, Douglas, Watson, Carveth, Brown, Wares, Grosso.

SUMMARY

First Period—1, Detroit, Wares (Brown), 14:54. Penalties: Grosso, Pratt.

Second Period—2, Toronto, Hill, 15:12; 3, Toronto, Pratt, 16:11. Penalties: Jones, Stewart, Carr.

Third Period—4, Detroit, Abel, 2:18; 5, Detroit, Bruneteau (Stewart), 8:13; 6, Detroit, Abel (Liscombe, Orlando), 19:59. Penalty: R. Hamilton.

Rugby Trophies to Be Presented at Banquet Here

VICTORIA Rugby Union will hold a "Presentation Dinner" Saturday evening at Terry's private dining-room, when championship trophies won during the 1942-43 season will be presented. Naval College ruggers, who "cleaned up" on the provincial and local rugger front, will receive the Rounsefell and Barnard Cups, symbolic of the British Columbia and city championships, respectively, and the Cowichan Trophy, emblematic of Vancouver Island honors. Playing in senior competition for the first time, the naval cadets, under the coaching of Sub-Lt. A. Gillespie, one of British Columbia's outstanding players, established a grand record for such a young squad. The McKechnie Cup, won again by Victoria "Reps" during the 1942-43 season, will also be presented at Saturday's function. The dinner is open to all players and others interested in the game. Those planning to attend are asked to communicate with either Roddy McInnes, the Victoria Rugby Union secretary, or Dan Doswell, coach of the "Rep" team. The programme will open at 6 o'clock.

Scores Two Markers

SYD ABEL

Veteran Detroit forward, who came through with two of his team's four goals on Sunday night as the Red Wings gained a 4-2 victory over Toronto Maple Leafs in the Stanley Cup play-downs. Abel has been with the motor city team for many seasons and is one of the smartest players in the circuit. Tonight the same two clubs meet and a win for the Wings will settle the series, but a reverse will tie it up again. Boston Bruins and Canadiens clash in the other game and the Montreal team needs the decision to stay in the running.

Sawchuk's Goal Gives Locals Neat 4-3 Win

Defenceman Fires Home Pay-Off Counter; Regina Caps Eliminated

CALGARY, March 29 (CP).—Victoria Army deadlocked their best-of-five Western Canada senior hockey semi-final series here tonight by defeating Calgary Currie Army, 4-3. Each team has won two games and the fifth and deciding contest will be played here Wednesday night.

Currie fought an uphill game and early in the third period had wiped out a three-goal deficit only to have the British Columbia representatives turn in their success when Goalie Frank McCool was beaten by a screened shot from Sawchuk's stick as the Par Westerners were putting on a power play. At the time Calgary was short handed, Pte. Doug Lane serving a penalty as a result of tripping Dufault, who made his debut in the series substituting for Sammy Kennedy.

Pte. Joffre Desilets (2), Pte. Mel Lunde and Pte. Julian Sawchuk were the marksmen for Victoria. Pte. Whitey Rimstad, Pte. Don Culley and Pte. Alex Kaleta tallied for Calgary.

In the series so far Calgary won the first and third games, 6-4 and 9-6 respectively. Victoria had won the second, 2-1.

The fourth game was by far the hardest fought and most interesting. Currie looked more like the Calgary team that had little difficulty leading the Alberta Service Senior League so decisively. They were skating faster and playing better combination. The British Columbia champs also improved, especially during the first period and the early part of the second when they assumed their three-goal lead. Three penalties, one to Victoria and two to Calgary, as well as a penalty shot against Calgary were imposed during the thrilling game.

LINE-UPS

Victoria — Rice-Jones; Sawchuk, Sutherland; Carse; Desilets, Kreiler. Subs: Lunde, Melnyk, Dufault, Metz.

Calgary — McCool; Lane, Anderson; Rimstad; Kaleta, Culley. Subs: Deacon, Chakowaki, Desmarais, Stewart.

Officials — Danny Cox, Port Arthur; Albert Pudas, Fort William.

SUMMARY

First Period—1, Victoria, Desilets (Kreiler), 6:00; 2, Victoria, Desilets (Kreiler), 18:23.

Second Period—3, Victoria, Lunde, 2:16; 4, Calgary, Rimstad (Kaleta), 6:39; 5, Calgary, Culley (Anderson), 12:27. Penalties: Kreiler, Rimstad.

Third Period—6, Calgary, Kaleta (Culley, Rimstad), 6:17; 7, Victoria, Sawchuk, 13:25. Penalty: Lane.

REGINA CAPS ELIMINATED

REGINA, March 29 (CP).—Winnipeg's powerful R.C.A.F. Bombers scored a 7-4 victory over Regina Caps in a furious game here tonight and advanced to the Western senior hockey finals against Calgary or Victoria.

Bombers beat Caps three straight, by 5-1, 4-2 and 7-4 scores.

Line-Ups

Regina—Mitchell; Sandelack, Corbett; Metz; Tilson, Armstrong. Subs: Sioboda, McPhee, Walter, Laman.

Winnipeg—Morot; Juzda, Branigan; Platz; Langelle, Sneider. Subs: McGregor, Trudel, McBride, Stanowski.

Officials—Pete Sande and Billy Hudson, both of Calgary.

Summary

First Period—1, Winnipeg, Stanowski (McGregor), 14:09; 2, Regina, Sandelack (Metz, Armstrong), 16:29; 3, Winnipeg, Platz (Sneider, Stanowski), 18:56; 4, Winnipeg, Platz, 19:42. Penalty: Sandelack.

Second Period—5, Winnipeg, McBride (McGregor), 2:13; 6, Regina, Metz (Tilson), 4:19; 7, Regina, Metz (Armstrong), 8:50; 8, Winnipeg, McGregor (Trudel, Stanowski), 11:03.

Third Period—9, Winnipeg, Langelle, 5:48; 10, Regina, Metz (Armstrong), 7:29; 11, Winnipeg, Platz (Langelle), 16:39.

SYDNEY, N.S., March 29 (CP).—Scoring a half-dozen goals in each of the last two periods, the powerful Montreal Canadiens overwhelmed Sydney Bruins, 14-3, tonight in the opening game of their Eastern Memorial Cup semi-final series. The second contest will be played here Wednesday and the third, if necessary, here Friday.

HALIFAX, March 29 (CP).—Scoring a lone goal in the first period, Halifax R.C.A.F. outsped Ottawa R.C.A.F. for a 1-0 victory tonight, evening their best-of-five Eastern Canada senior hockey semi-final round at one game apiece.

Speedy Centreman Don Stanley, of Edmonton and Nanaimo, scored the winning goal.

The teams now journey to Ottawa for the remaining games of the series.

SASKATOON, March 29 (CP).—Saskatoon Quakers earned the right to play Winnipeg Rangers in the Western Canada junior final when they defeated Edmonton Canadians, 4-3, in the second game of a best-of-three semi-final series. Saskatoon took the series two straight, winning the first game Saturday, 3-2.

SURVIVORS IN BOTH SERIES

(By The Canadian Press)

Seven teams were still in the running today for the Canadian senior hockey championship and Allan Cup. Four of the teams were in Eastern Canada, three in Western Canada.

The Eastern survivors:

Nova Scotia—Halifax R.C.A.F.

Quebec—Ottawa Commandos.

Ottawa District—Ottawa R.C.A.F. Flyers.

Ontario—Toronto R.C.A.F. Hurricanes.

The Western survivors:

Manitoba — Winnipeg R.C.A.F. Bombers.

Alberta—Calgary Currie Army.

British Columbia—Victoria Army.

Six teams were still in the running today for the Canadian junior hockey championship and Memorial Cup. Four of the teams were in Eastern Canada, two in Western Canada.

The Eastern survivors:

Nova Scotia—Sydney Bruins.

Quebec—Montreal Canadiens.

Ottawa District—St. Patrick's College.

Ontario—Oshawa Generals.

The Western survivors:

Manitoba—Winnipeg Rangers.

Saskatchewan — Saskatoon Quakers.

Oak Bay XI Wins Cup Football

Defeats College In Island Final

Oak Bay juvenile footballers sprang a mild surprise in the Lower Island final yesterday at Heywood Avenue when they defeated St. Louis College, 4-1, in a keenly-contested match.

Wiseman, Oak Bay outside right, fired home the only marker of a hard-fought opening half, enabling his clubmates to reach the breather with the score 1-0 in their favor.

Final canto was only minutes old when French equalized for St. Louis College. Oak Bay came back with another tally by Wiseman to move ahead, 2-1, and the Collegians were unable to draw even again. Goals by R. Rowe and Wiseman completed the scoring to give Oak Bay their 4-1 victory.

Charlie Lewis, president of the Victoria and District Football League, presented the championship trophy to Ken Richards, Oak Bay team captain, following the match.

With the Island title safely tucked away, Oak Bay footballers will leave Friday night for Vancouver to oppose the Mainlanders in the British Columbia championship final.

Norni Stewardson refereed.

Line-ups:

Oak Bay—Richards, Peers, Sheffield, Golding, Latham, McKenzie, Wiseman, Warrender, R. Rowe, Carter, Ducklitt and Pratt.

St. Louis College—Coleman, Muir Scholey, O'Brien, Booth, Drice, McMillan, French, Thompson, Denoni, Webster and O'Connell.

Commandos Victorious

Ottawa Defeats Toronto Flyers

TORONTO, March 29 (CP).—Ottawa Commandos thumped their way to a 6-4 victory over Toronto R.C.A.F. here tonight before 12,656 fans in the first game of a best-of-five Eastern Canada Allan Cup semi-final series.

Pies, Neil and Mac Colville provided the scoring punch and Pte. "Sugar" Jim Henry gave a spectacular display of goaltending to give the Quebec Senior Hockey League champions the edge over the All-Ontario senior titists.

The Colville brothers provided five of the six Ottawa goals, Neil bagging three and Mac two, and their general all-round play was outstanding.

The teams are scheduled to renew their series in Ottawa Wednesday night, the eventual winner slated to move into the Eastern Canada final with the survivor of the series between Halifax R.C.A.F. and Ottawa R.C.A.F.

LINE-UPS

Ottawa—Henry; Kampman, Reardon; N. Colville; M. Colville, Shibicky. Subs: Cooper, Poirier, McGill, Kilrea.

Toronto—Scodellaro; Dickens, McCaig; Wilson; Wycherley; Gronsdal. Subs: Henderson, McAtee, McCreedy, Roppelle.

Officials — L. Murray and Pean Bennett, Montreal.

SUMMARY

First Period—1, Ottawa, Cooper (Mac Colville, Shibicky), 3:37; 2, Ottawa, M. Colville, 5:43; 3, Toronto, McCreedy (McAtee, Dickens), 7:00; 4, Ottawa, N. Colville, 15:28; 5, Ottawa, M. Colville (Shibicky, Cooper), 16:21. Penalties: Reardon, Wycherley.

Second Period—6, Toronto, Wilson (Wycherley), 14:22. Penalty: Reardon.

Third Period—7, Ottawa, N. Colville (Shibicky), 4:37; 8, Toronto, Roppelle (McCreedy, Henderson), 7:15; 9, Toronto, Gronsdal (Wilson), 10:18; 10, Ottawa, N. Colville, 19:34. Penalties: McCreedy and M. Colville (majors), McGill.

RACE TRACKS CLOSE

NEW YORK, March 29 (AP).—Racing in the continental United States goes into a nine-day eclipse today for the first time since the original two-buck bettor broke the strap on his wallet.

When the New Orleans' Fair Grounds, Hot Springs' Oaklawn and California's Bay Meadows inherited out the last of the spectators on Saturday they ended the turf sport in United States until April 8 when New York City's Jamaica opens.

The lull is attributable to the war and travel restrictions.

Naval College Ruggers Beat Vancouver XV

Naval College "B" ruggers wound up their 1942-43 season on Saturday afternoon with a 6-0 victory over St. George's School, Vancouver, in an exhibition match played on their home grounds.

All of the scoring came in the opening half, with Howard and Leckie taking the ball over for the major scores.

The victory was the ninth for the Cadets in twelve starts, the other three games ending in stalemates. Naval College played to two draws with Victoria College and gained a third stalemate with University School.

SWIM CHAMPION HURT

NEW YORK, March 29 (AP).—Gloria Callen, nineteen, swimming champion, suffered a severely burned left hand when an electric light bulb exploded while she was studying at her home, it became known today, and she will be unable to compete in the National Women's Indoor Meet at Chicago, April 9-11.

Miss Callen, voted the United States outstanding woman athlete of 1942, will be out of competition at least two weeks.

She holds both the indoor and outdoor back-stroke titles.

TOAST and TEA

By J. V. McAREE

WHETHER the common cold is to be listed as a medical mystery, the fact is that the profession has so far developed no certain cure for it, and no reliable protection. To the layman, it is indeed a medical mystery, for it seems a simple thing compared with a recognized disease, and the wonder is that it continues to be annoying, defiant and in a few cases fatally disabling. There is a story told of a dean of medicine in a Toronto college many years who was advising members of his graduating class as to what they should make their specialty. He said that by all means they should become skin specialists. This had three obvious advantages. The first was that nobody dies of a skin disease; the second was that a patient rarely, if ever, got a doctor out of bed in the middle of the night to administer treatment; the third was that it was never cured. Therefore the doctor had his patient for life, or at least until some other doctor came along with a new nostrum.

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Carpet Bowling

Results of matches in the Capital City and District Carpet Bowling League are as follows:

Singles—R. Wood 21, H. Bales 15; A. Findlay 21, A. McBeath 18; W. Cull 21, T. Bridges 20; J. Whittle 21, W. Colvin 16.

Wednesday's draw follows:

Kiwanis Cup—Willows Shamrock vs. Esquimalt.

Doubles—Winners of Mercer and Findlay vs. T. Bridges and Thomas play winners of McMillan and Cruikshank vs. Whittle and Wood.

Singles—J. Leiper vs. W. Baker.

TOURNAMENT AT BRITANNIA BRANCH

Fixtures played in the Victoria Carpet Bowling League tournament at the Britannia Branch clubrooms resulted as follows:

Doubles—W. Young and C. Jackson 16, G. Knight and H. Milnes 18; W. Hadfield and O. Shubrook won by default from J. Maxwell and R. Eaton; G. Wood and C. Hutchison 22, J. Brereton and E. Bentley 18.

Singles—W. Young 16, H. Clear 18.

Hislop Trophy—St. Albans Rangers 22, Britannia Royals 16; Britannia Maple Leafs 15, Britannia Remnants 22.

Wednesday's draw follows:

Doubles, 8 p.m.—D. Thomas and W. Ashworth vs. D. Ryles and J. Paterson; G. Wood and C. Hutchison vs. J. Baron and W. Stockley; W. Hadfield and C. Shubrook vs. R. Parfitt and W. Merriton.

Thursday's draw follows:

Triples, 8 p.m.—J. Baron, J. Smith and A. Wyman vs. E. Bentley, A. Hampton and A. Graham; G. Wood, H. Clear and W. Merriton vs. W. Young, C. Jackson and C. Hutchison; J. Paterson, D. Ryles and W. Ashworth vs. W. Hadfield, C. Shubrook and H. Pearson.

Friday's draw follows:

Singles, 8 p.m.—A. Hampton vs. C. Belcher; C. Jackson vs. A. Belcher; J. Paterson vs. D. Ryles.

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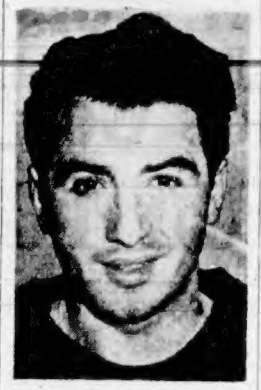

JIMMY ORLANDO

DETROIT, March 29 (AP).—Jimmy Orlando, of Montreal, twenty-eight-year-old star defenceman of the Detroit Red Wings National League hockey team, pleaded guilty today to a charge of obtaining draft deferment by posing as an essential war worker.

He was arraigned before United States Commissioner Clarence Pettit shortly after agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation arrested him as he was entraining at the Michigan Central Depot, with other members of the Red Wing squad, for Toronto and Tuesday night's Stanley Cup hockey play-off.

John S. Bugas, chief of the F.B.I.'s Detroit office, said Orlando faces two specific charges of violating the Selective Service Act, failure to notify his board of a change in his occupational status and falsification of later information provided the board.

Kenneth Wilkins, assistant United States attorney, said Orlando—known as the "bad man" of National League hockey because of his frequent trips to the penalty box—represented himself as a machinist employed by the Lincoln Tool & Die Co., of Detroit, when he registered with his draft board last September.

Wilkins said the ice star actually was employed as a machinist for only two weeks, and later was transferred to office work, although he was classified 2-B on the strength of his statement that he was a machinist.

Wilkins said David Ferguson, part owner of Lincoln Tool & die, was charged in a separate warrant with aiding Orlando to establish an erroneous civil service classification.

Orlando was freed under $2,000 bond to await grand jury action on his case.

Orlando took a later train for Toronto to rejoin the Red Wings. As he left the court, he told reporters he had misunderstood the affidavit he was accused of falsifying and planned to join the Canadian army, or the United States forces should be be called, at the end of the current hockey campaign.

He is a Canadian citizen.

Hockey Squads In the Finals

CLEVELAND, March 29 (AP).—Indianapolis Capitals eliminated the Cleveland Barons from the American Hockey League play-offs by scoring a 3-2 victory in the second overtime period of their game here before a crowd of 9,461 fans.

It was the second straight for the Capitals in the semi-final series. They won the first game Wednesday at Indianapolis 4-1.

The deciding goal was scored by Hec Kilrea, thirty-six-year-old veteran, at 11.56 of the second overtime heat.

Connie Brown registered twice for the Capitals and Lea Cunningham and Phil Hergesheimer once each for Cleveland.

The Capitals, last year's champions, enter the finals against the Buffalo club.

BUFFALO, N.Y., March 29 (AP).—Buffalo Bisons defeated Hershey Bears, 2-1, to win the class "A" American Hockey League semi-final play-off series, four games to two. A crowd of 10,252, largest of the local season, saw the game.

The Bisons will meet Indianapolis Capitals here Wednesday in the first contest of the best-of-five series for the league championship.

Strange Quits Major League

SEATTLE, March 29 (AP).—Alan Strange, second baseman for St. Louis Browns, of the American League last year, has given up big-league baseball for shipyard work, the Seattle yard of the Seattle-Tacoma Shipbuilding Corporation reported today.

Strange has returned his contract unsigned to the Browns and with the announcement he will not quit his job here, the yard said. Instead, he will act as player-manager of the Sea-Tac baseball team in the newly-formed Northwest War Industries Baseball League.

Another former big leaguer, Dutch Reuther, who recently was scout for the Chicago Cubs, will manage the Lake Washington Shipyards team in the same league.

Victoria Hoopsters Will Travel for Play-Off Games

THREE Victoria basketball squads, all in quest of provincial titles, will play away from home this week, two of them making their bids at Vancouver and a third club playing at Kelowna. Coach Harold Turner's K.V.'s, Coast intermediate "A" boys' cage champions, are slated for the Interior trip at Kelowna where they will play Friday and Saturday in a two-game total-points series for the British Columbia title. Unitys, senior "A" women's hoopsters, will make their championship bid in the Terminal City, where they will play a two-game series against the smart Vancouver Hedlunds on Friday and Saturday. Bill Cull's Kandy Kids, intermediate "B" girls' quintette, will also perform on the Mainland on Friday and Saturday against the Terminal City champions. There is also a possibility of St. Louis College intermediate "B" boys' squad making the trip to the Mainland this week to compete for the Coast title. Bob Whyte's Comets, junior girls, and St. Louis College, junior boys, have been named provincial titleholders in their respective classes.

Cotton Captures Doubles Crown

CALGARY, March 29 (CP). — A couple of R.C.A.F. men from opposite ends of Canada teamed up last night to win the 1943 Alberta provincial men's doubles table tennis championship in a match that highlighted a two-day championship tournament here.

Frank Hutchinson, of Toronto, and Bill Cotton, of Victoria, both former junior champions in their home cities, defeated Tom Hicks and Len Marshall, of Calgary, in a final that went the full route of five games before it was decided.

Man o' War Has Quiet Birthday

LEXINGTON, Ky., March 29 (AP).—Man o' War, Samuel D. Riddle's famous thoroughbred sire, observed his twenty-sixth birthday anniversary today at nearby Faraway Farm. He was retired from stud early this month because of his advanced age but his general health was said to be good.

Winnipeg Basketball

WINNIPEG, March 29 (CP).—University of Manitoba defeated Winnipeg St. Andrews, perennial Manitoba senior men's basketball champions, 31-23, here tonight to deadlock their best-of-three final series at a game each.

St. Andrews took the first game, 48-27. Third game will be played here Friday night, with the winner advancing in the Western play-offs against Saskatoon R.C.A.F. Cranes, Saskatchewan champions.

Racing at Meadows

WASHINGTON, March 29 (AP).—Bay Meadows' charity programme, April 2-5, will not be held, Jerry Giesler, of the California Racing Board said today, until after a meeting in San Francisco to determine the public's attitude to the sport in wartime.

Giesler, chairman of the State Board, made the statement shortly after he, California Assemblyman Harrison Call of San Mateo, and W. P. Kyne, Bay Meadows' general manager, conferred with Rubber Director W. M. Jeffers on what the westerners termed Jeffers' restriction on the operation of the racing plant.

The California track sought approval o. twenty more racing days, plus five additional charity days.

Jeffers previously had requested that all suburban tracks, especially those relying on rubber-shod vehicles for transportation of spectators, be closed as a conservation method.

ICE PLAY-OFF DATES

NEW HAVEN, Conn., March 29 (AP).—League President Maurice Podoloff today set Wednesday, March 31, as the date for the opener of a best-of-five-game American Hockey League championship series between Indianapolis and Buffalo.

Both the opener, and the second game, set for Saturday, April 3, will be played at Buffalo. The teams then move to Indianapolis for the third game, Sunday, April 4.

Podoloff said he will announce dates for the last two games April 4.

P.N.W. GOLF CANCELED

SEATTLE, March 29 (AP). — The Pacific Northwest Golf Association will sponsor a one-day open meet probably some Sunday and probably at Tacoma's Fircrest course. But it decided at Saturday's meeting to forego its annual championship again this year.

The suggested open tournament would be open to representatives of member clubs and to amateurs in the armed services.

GOLFING CROWD LARGE

LONG BEACH, Calif., March 29 (AP).—More than 4,000 fans crowded close yesterday to see Crooner-Actor Bing Crosby and Olin Dutra defeat Comedian Bob Hope and Jimmy Thomson, pro, 3 and 2, in an exhibition golf match for the benefit of Los Angeles Naval Hospital.

Lightweight—but Not the Baggage

Ex-Lightweight Champion Lew Jenkins, of Sweetwater, Texas, lugs his seabag as he reports for duty as a member of the United States Coast Guard in Washington, D.C. Jenkins, whose real name is Vernon Jenks, won the 135-pound crown by knocking out Lou Ambers in three rounds in 1940. Sammy Angott beat him in 1941.

No Coddling Of Players

War Has Affected Training System

By ALAN RANDAL
Associated Press Staff Writer

LONDON, March 29 (CP).—When this war is over and Britain once more gets down to the serious business of peacetime soccer there will be no more coddling of football players. It's the war that has done it.

The days when professional soccer players, before a big match, were given brine baths, sun-ray treatments, egg-flips and oysters by the dozen are gone.

Training in the "new" soccer after the war will be tougher, less interesting, but more robust.

That, at least, is the opinion of Joe Smith, manager of Blackpool Foootball Club, who makes the assertion after a close study of the physical fitness of footballers in wartime.

Most of the leading professionals are in the armed services. They live on army or air force food, which, for all that some folk say, is still sometimes prepared pretty much on a "take it or leave it" basis. These players do the customary services drill and physical training, and they have none of the luxuries so often bestowed on jaded professionals in peacetime.

But with all of these, says Joe, they are fitter, tougher and stronger altogether than in their peacetime football days.

"There are fewer instances of men receiving serious injuries than in peacetime play," said Joe. "When a man does get bumped or bruised now he invariably makes a much quicker recovery, because of his tough condition."

The manager insisted that service life made virtual commandos of them all, whereas the old soccer training system was nothing but pampering and coddling.

That Body of Yours

DANGERS AND DISADVANTAGES OF OVERWEIGHT

Some weeks ago I spoke about the actual improvement in health of the women of Great Britain due to the food rationing. The Ministry of Health went further and stated that the rationing of food, which means the reduction in the amount of food eaten, had "improved" the figures of the British women.

In a Metropolitan Life Insurance information service release, we learn that wartime rationing of foods may prove a blessing in disguise to American women. Women today are far more interested in their weight than were their mothers and grandmothers.

Getting rid of excess fat cannot be done by just thinking about it. It requires a "sensible" reducing diet which will be safe and effective.

"A sensible and effective programme of weight reduction involves persistency, gradual reduction, and the use of a proper diet; such a diet is well-rounded, and contains the proper proportion of the various foodstuffs — proteins, carbohydrates, fats and minerals—and the newly-recognized fool-element or factor-vitamins."

There is no need to entirely avoid or cut out any of the known foodstuffs because even the fat builders—cream and butter, and the fat storers-starches (potatoes and bread)—should be eaten daily though in reduced amounts. Also the common or ordinary foods contain the vitamins and minerals needed.

However, what is really more important than the figure is the health of our women; fortunately, a well-rounded but not fat figure is usually accompanied by good health.

"The dangers of overweight, excessive overweight, are so many and so serious that women with a tendency to overweight should bear them in mind."

Stout people are more likely to develop serious chronic disease and do so at an earlier age than persons of lighter weight. These diseases are hardening of the arteries and high blood pressure, and heart and kidney diseases which stand first as causes of death in adult life.

Overweight women particularly are more likely to develop diabetes and gall bladder disease. They seem to be less resistant to infections and are poorer surgical risks.

Overweight by putting strain on joints is a common cause of arthritis.

To reduce weight all liquids, starches and fats are reduced one-half with no decrease in proteins—meats, fish and eggs.

GRAPHIC GOLF

By BEST BALL

AVOIDING A SLICE

To avoid a slice it is necessary to avoid coming onto the ball from the outside in. For it is largely this cutting across from the outside that gives the ball slicing spin. To prevent this one can employ a more upright stroke, one in which the hands aren't so likely to stray outside the line of flight. For instance, on the downswing above the golfer could make the target of his swing, as he starts the downstroke, the centre of his right foot.

Naturally one would not continue on this same course but as a starting point, it has advantages. This action is as if the hands and arms were falling straight down. In this way one can utilize the pull of gravity and let the club fall straight down part of the way, the hands and arms guiding the clubhead in an inside-out path as they carry on this initial movement. The mechanics of such a stroke require a measure of restraint but tenseness should be avoided.

(The Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

Collegians Win Title

Beat Alumni 17-11 In Football Final

Galloping sixty yards in the dying minutes of the game, Reg. Clarkson, versatile young athlete, Sunday scored the "pay-off" touchdown for St. Louis College gridders in their city championship six-man Canadian football final against V.H.S. Alumni at Central Park.

With the score deadlocked at 11-11 and only three minutes of play remaining, Clarkson gained possession of the greasy, slippery football from an Alumni fumble and raced for the line. Students converted on a pass play, French tossing the ball to King who went over for the extra point.

Collegians had the better of the play in the first two quarters, but missed many scoring opportunities. After a scoreless first quarter Freddie French booted two forty-yard drop goals to push St. Louis College ahead, 6-0, at half time.

Coach Jimmie Smith's V.H.S. Alumni lads bucked up in the next two quarters and had the better of the play. They garnered the first touchdown of the game when Freddie Ranson took a pass from Dick Chungranes and raced over. Chungranes' kick for the extra point was good, leaving the score 6-6.

O'CONNELL SCORES FOR COLLEGIANS

St. Louis College bounced back in the lead before the third quarter ended when Danny O'Connell plunged through the centre for a major score. The kick was blocked.

V.H.S. Alumni came charging back and Dick Chungranes carried the "mail" for a touchdown, again knotting the score, this time at 11-11.

Then, with only minutes remaining, Reg Clarkson came up with his spectacular sixty-yard dash and victory for St. Louis College. The pass conversion made the final score 17-11 for the green and gold, and enabled them to wind-up their 1943 season without tasting a single defeat.

George Deacon, former coach of the Victoria Revellers, provincial "Big Four" inter-city champions, and George Harknett officiated.

LONDON (CP). — Trade disputes during January involved the loss of 37,000 working days, the Labor Ministry Gazette announced.

At the Theatres

OAK BAY AND PLAZA THEATRES — The title of "In Which We Serve," the dramatic biography of a destroyer which sees action in the present war, which is the current attraction on the screen of the Oak Bay and Plaza Theatres through United Artists release, is a quotation from a naval prayer. In the picture you can hear the prayer recited by Noel Coward to his shipmates aboard the H.M.S. Torrin.

RIO THEATRE — Spencer Tracy, Hedy Lamarr, Claudette Colbert and Clark Gable head a star-packed cast in "Boom Town," now showing at the Rio Theatre. It is a smashing adventure drama of two wildcat oil men who fight their way to success with oil, gold and women as the stakes.

YORK THEATRE — Packing all the excitement of the 1880's and the color of the Gay Nineties, "Gentleman Jim," now showing at the York Theatre, is an action account of the life of James J. Corbett, who somehow typifies the period in which he became heavyweight champion of the world. Especially worthy of mention is the thrilling climax of the picture in which Corbett wins the crown from John L. Sullivan.

ATLAS THEATRE — "Tish," a hilarious comedy romance, starring Marjorie Main, ZaSu Pitts and Aline MacMahon, will end tonight at the Atlas Theatre. "Tish," based on the adventures of Mary Roberts Rhinehart's beloved fiction character, utilizes comical adventures of three spinster cronies against a background of two young romances, in which the kind ladies try to meddle, and thereby land in trials and tribulations galore.

CADET THEATRE — Gay new tunes, exciting dances, and a fast-stepping cast make Paramount's "Priorities on Parade," the merry movie musical now at the Cadet Theatre, one of the outstanding tune films of the current season. With Ann Miller, Betty Rhodes, Jerry Colonna, Vera Vague and Johnnie Johnston heading the swell cast, "Priorities" is tops in entainment — and there's a timely story idea, too. The film fairly sparkles.

CAPITOL THEATRE — Hedy Lamarr is the three hundredth actress to utter the theatre's famous curtain speech, "I am Tondelayo." She portrays the glamorous siren of "White Cargo," which M-G-M brings to the screen with Walter Pidgeon as her co-star. Richard Carlson is the young Englishman who cannot resist her wiles. Frank Morgan, Reginald Owen and Henry O'Neill head the supporting cast.

DOMINION THEATRE — Columbia's "You Were Never Lovelier," starring Fred Astaire and Rita Hayworth, is the current attraction at the Dominion Theatre. Directed by William A. Seiter, the tune-filled film features Adolphe Menjou and Xavier Cugat and his orchestra. Jerome Kern penned the music, said to be his greatest since "Show Boat."

Amusements

On the Screen

Atlas—"Tish," starring Marjorie Main, ZaSu Pitts and Lee Bowman.

Cadet—"Priorities on Parade," with Ann Miller and Johnnie Johnston.

Capitol — Hedy Lamarr and Walter Pidgeon in "White Cargo."

Dominion — Rita Hayworth and Fred Astaire in "You Were Never Lovelier."

Oak Bay and Plaza — "In Which We Serve," starring Noel Coward.

Rio — "Boom Town," with Clark Gable, Spencer Tracy and Claudette Colbert.

York—Errol Flynn and Alexis Smith in "Gentleman Jim."

Chinese War Romance Coming to Dominion

Gene Tierney is stunning in any language, including Chinese. A mixture of four distinct nationalities, Gene is the most cosmopolitan actress in Hollywood and can pass on the screen for almost any national type. For that reason as well as her superlative acting, Twentieth Century-Fox selected her for the title role in "China Girl," the gripping romantic drama opening next Friday at the Dominion Theatre. In "China Girl," Gene enacts a patriot whose cold hatred of her Japanese tormentors cannot be thawed by a tempestuous love for a daring American fighter for freedom. Carrying the principal roles in the picture are George Montgomery, Lynn Bari and Victor McLaglen.

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Effective on and after Monday morning, March 29, the following changes of street car routes will be made:

GORGE: Cars from the Gorge will enter the city by way of Bay and Government Streets, and will leave the city for the Gorge terminus by way of Yates and Douglas Streets—this being a complete reversal of the former routing.

BURNSIDE: Cars from Burnside will enter the city by way of Government Street and will proceed to the Mount Tolmie terminus by way of Fort Street.

MOUNT TOLMIE: Cars from Mount Tolmie will enter the city by way of Douglas Street and will proceed to the Burnside terminus by way of Douglas Street, as usual.

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REPLIES TO LETTER OF EXPLANATION

Mayor McGavin then replied by letter.

"I note you say there is no discrimination by your Government as ... However, according to published statements, the quantities of spirits available do vary considerably in the different provinces, with Quebec and Ontario having much larger ... available than other provinces.

"I quite agree that a reduction of 10 per cent in the quantity of beer available is very modest and would not hurt anybody.

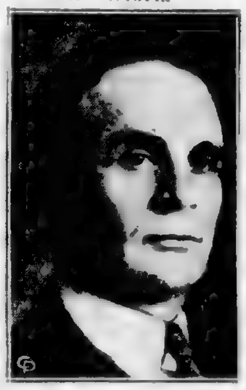
"Unfortunately, so far as British Columbia is concerned, the regulations brought down in December and which were retroactive to November 1 actually mean a much higher reduction than 10 per cent for the balance of the year. The Chairman of the British Columbia Liquor Control Board has written Mr. Scott, administrator of alcoholic beverages, giving a full explanation of the position.

[illegible] ... British Columbia Liquor Control ... spirits per month and about five bottles of beer per month each person ...

"As to the substance of your representations, the Government feels ... discrimination whatever between provinces in ...

Mr. Kennedy ... the Mayor's statement, the ration would be cut to half a pint of spirits per month ... [illegible]

To Visit Victoria



JOHN BRACKEN

[illegible]

Local First Aid Groups Illustrate War Treatments

Divisions Perform At Crystal Garden

Members of local ambulance and ... divisions of the St. John Ambulance Brigade staged a number of demonstrations at the Crystal Garden last night which illustrated the type of work they are qualified to do in the event of an air raid ...

[illegible]

TREAT VARIETY OF FRACTURES

In a more serious vein were first aid treatments of various fractures ... and splinting demonstrated by local nursing divisions under the direction of Mrs. W. F. D. Pemberton ...

[illegible]

War Heroes Speak at Schools

FLYING OFFICER J. B. HIGHAM, D.F.C.

LT.-COL. E. LOWTHER, O.B.E., E.D.

CHILDREN of Lampson Street School, Esquimalt, were commended for their efforts in buying War Savings Stamps by Lieut.-Col. E. Lowther, O.B.E., E.D. (above right), general staff officer of the Pacific Coast, who gave one of the first addresses yesterday in the War Heroes Week programme sponsored by the National War Finance Committee. Introduced by Hugh ... principal, and Major G. Yardley, he was accompanied by Mrs. H. S. Hurn, of the local committee.

... present war and veteran of the first Great War when he served with the Nova Scotia Highlanders ...

Flying Officer J. B. Higham, D.F.C. (above left), who was decorated for his service as a bomber pilot over Germany, spoke at Quadra ... Schools. He was decorated for his part in bombing ... duced him to the students.

Speakers this morning will be Col. Lowther ...

[illegible]

Claims Interest On Taxes Is High

A statement of Alderman B. J. Gadsden that interest at the rate of 5 per cent allowed on prepaid property taxes was too high came before the City Council yesterday and was ... referred for a report.

[illegible] ... uary and February and present a confidential report to the estimates ... excess of $500 of their taxes for 1943.

He also moved that the comp... [illegible]

City and District

Traffic Cases ... [illegible]

Man Injured—L.A.C. Reginald ... [illegible]

Found Guilty— ... [illegible]

Seek Laborers— ... [illegible]

Premises Entered ... [illegible]

... fined $1,000 by Magistrate Hall ... beer in the company office was given by Sergeant Harry Mercer and Constable Ray Maitland. Mr. Baker ...

SHARK LIVER OIL ... [illegible]

How It Started—

By JEAN NEWTON

"EFFICIENCY"

[illegible]

... these records as well as the congressman's, on the subject, providing a copy is made of each."

(The Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

NAZIS SHOOT NORSE

[illegible]

Local Authors to Hear Abbe Maheux

Abbe Arthur Maheux, M.A., D.D., F.R.S.C., professor of history, Laval University ... speaker at ... [illegible]

... Emily Carr's "Book of Small" and Miss Louise Noble will sing.

Candidates Appointed For Gas Instruction

[illegible]

Ganges Officer Is Promoted Overseas

[illegible] ... Point. He went through the first Matabele war of 1893-94 ... 1902 and the first Great War.

In addition to his father, Col. T. E. Snow, has a sister, Mrs. S. W. Hoole, living at Ganges. His younger ...

Junior Chamber Plans "Clean-Up" Campaign

[illegible]

The secretary's report also revealed the recent Industrial Health ... pieces of literature being distributed to 110 firms in the city.

A.R.P. Activities

[illegible]

... first aid class will meet on Thursday at 7:30 p.m. in the Municipal Hall.

Announcements

Women's Canadian Club ... [illegible]

Wishbone Tearooms ... Open 11:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Dr. W. D. Higgs ... Pemberton Bldg. Phone: office B 1124, residence E 2849.

Handbag— ... [illegible]

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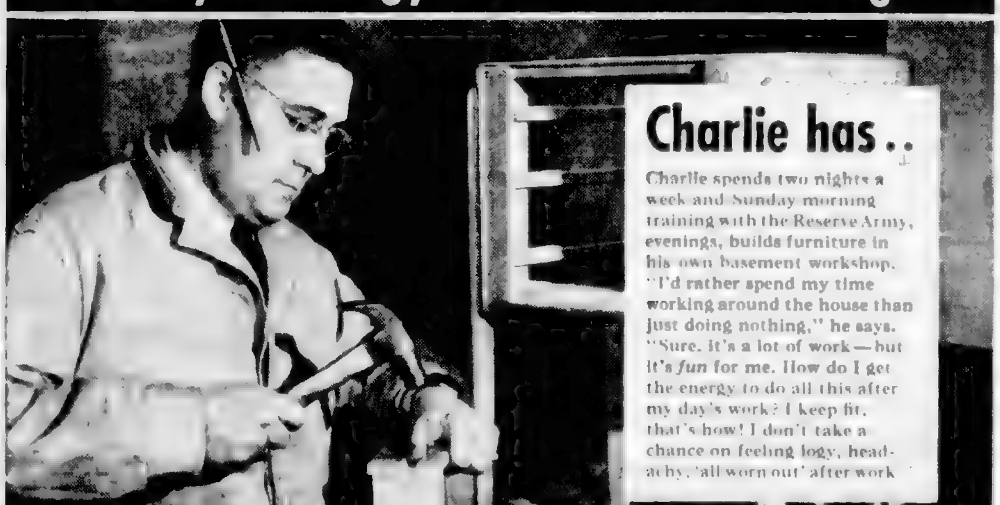

Charlie has..
Charlie spends two nights a week and Sunday morning training with the Reserve Army, evenings, builds furniture in his own basement workshop. "I'd rather spend my time working around the house than just doing nothing," he says. "Sure, it's a lot of work—but it's *fun* for me. How do I get the energy to do all this after my day's work? I keep fit, that's how! I don't take a chance on feeling logy, headachy, 'all worn out' after work

He makes furniture AFTER WORKING ALL DAY

"*I'm in and out* of an automobile all day, pushing production on war materials as fast as it will go," says Charlie. "It's hard work, but there's not much real exercise to it. So, I'm careful about my habits. But no harsh cathartics for me. Instead, I make sure of getting plenty of 'bulk' in my diet—the easy way. I start every morning with a delicious bowl of Kellogg's Bran Flakes. They help keep me fit to do the *extra* things I like."

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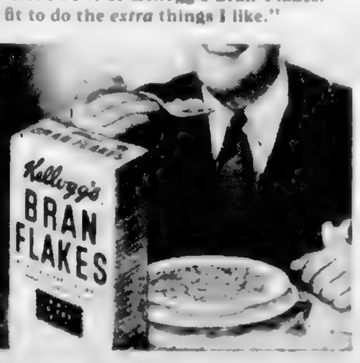

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John Dean, Victoria Pioneer Passes at Age of Ninety-Two

JOHN Dean, ninety-two years, one of Victoria's best known citizens and a pioneer who came to this city fifty-eight years ago, died on Sunday afternoon in the Vancouver General Hospital after a brief illness. He made his home at 572 Head Street, Esquimalt.

Although he was getting about much as usual and took customary keen interest in current events and [illegible] Mr. Dean had not enjoyed robust health for some time. His passing will be regretted by a host of friends in Victoria and other centres.

Funeral services for Mr. Dean will be held at 2 o'clock on Thursday afternoon at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Parlors. Ven. Archdeacon Robert Connell will officiate, and burial will take place in Ross Bay Cemetery. It is requested that no flowers be sent.

NATIVE OF STRETTON, CHESHIRE, ENGLAND

Known as one of Victoria's most public spirited citizens, John Dean's [illegible] in the community dates back to April 22, 1885, that day on which he arrived here on the steamship Queen of the Pacific, from California. He was born on December 17, 1850, at Shercroft Farm, Stretton, Cheshire, England; as a lad he was apprenticed to the [illegible] Gibson & Sons, contractors and builders, at Warrington, in [illegible]

LATE JOHN DEAN

WAS CHAMPION OF CITY MANAGER

WAS INTERESTED IN MINING VENTURES

rate charges by the city to outside municipalities. He armed himself with a wealth of material on water- [illegible] Victoria and elsewhere. Twice he [illegible] dealing with civic matters in the City Hall which was donated to [illegible] office by Mr. Dean [illegible] taken a keen interest in all civic affairs, showing doughty qualities in fighting for what he considered to be just and reasonable causes.

[illegible] Provincial Government. This is known as John Dean Park and is situated at Mount Newton.

Of a fearless disposition, Mr. Dean took his first flight in an airplane at the age of eighty-two, making a trip from San Diego to San Antonio by plane and from San Antonio to Mexico City.

PROBABLY OLDEST PLANE PASSENGER

When Mr. Dean had to go to Chicago on business several years ago, he approached the local traffic representative of Trans-Canada who made the necessary round-trip plane booking for him to the Illinois metropolis via Winnipeg. Mr. Dean was in all probability, the oldest passenger booked for a fairly extensive air journey.

Mr. Dean was a great traveler. He started his more ambitious trips in 1914, always returning to Victoria. Since that time he has visited New Zealand, Tasmania, Australia, [illegible] China, Burma, India, Ceylon [illegible] Panama, Mexico [illegible] South America [illegible]

[illegible] also [illegible] He was a member of No. 1 Lodge, A.F. & A.M. [illegible] I.O.O.F. [illegible] a member of the Pacific Club.

[illegible] inscription to be placed on his tombstone. After his first words had been inscribed, he had a reference [illegible]

The inscription on the tombstone reads: "In memory of John Dean [illegible]

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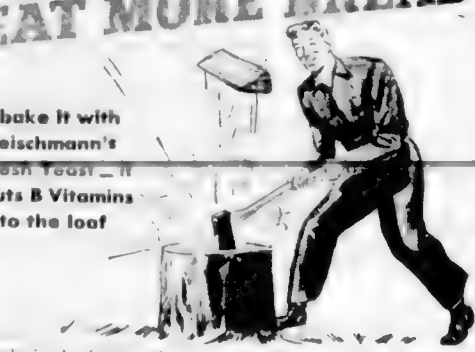

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Shipyard Worker Killed by Crane

John Robert Williams, [illegible] 591 Toronto Street, died in St. Joseph's Hospital at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon [illegible]

[illegible] caught by a crane. He was rushed to the hospital and attended by Dr. T. W. A. Gray.

Mr. Williams was born [illegible] England and had [illegible] He is survived by three sisters, Mrs. Frank Hazelhurst, 2718 Rock Bay Avenue and two sisters in England.

[illegible] Oak Bay Park.

Trustees Hear Talk on School Consolidation

Under the auspices of the Qualicum Beach Board of Trade, Dr. H. B. King, chief inspector of schools [illegible] gave an address [illegible] the public of the [illegible]

RENEWAL OF UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE BOOKS

To All Employers:

All Unemployment Insurance Books for the current fiscal year 1942-43 must be turned in for replacement by new books.

Between

MARCH 29th and APRIL 3rd

New Insurance Books for the fiscal year 1943-44 will be [illegible] the Local Employment and Selective Service Office in your area for expired Insurance Books.

Do not send in your Insurance Books [illegible] forms enclosed with circular letter No. 625.

If you have not received [illegible] get in touch with your nearest Employment and Selective Service Office immediately.

Where it is necessary to quote the Employee's Insurance Number use the number [illegible] Do not quote [illegible] on the inside pages of the book.

Protect the benefit rights of your employees by following closely the procedure outlined in the [illegible]

There are severe penalties for failing to make Unemployment Insurance contributions for your insured employees and for failure to renew the Insurance Books as required.

UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE COMMISSION

HON. HUMPHREY MITCHELL, Minister of Labour

ALLAN M. MITCHELL

Mrs. Emily Kersey Dies in Hospital

[illegible] Mrs. Emily Kersey [illegible] Harriet Road. Mrs. Kersey was born in Leeds, Yorkshire, England [illegible]

[illegible] Australia [illegible] one daughter, Mrs. George Nott of Australia, three sisters [illegible]

Funeral will be held Wednesday at 10:30 o'clock from Sands Mortuary [illegible]

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[illegible]

Tuesday Radio Programmes

[illegible]

Radio Highlights

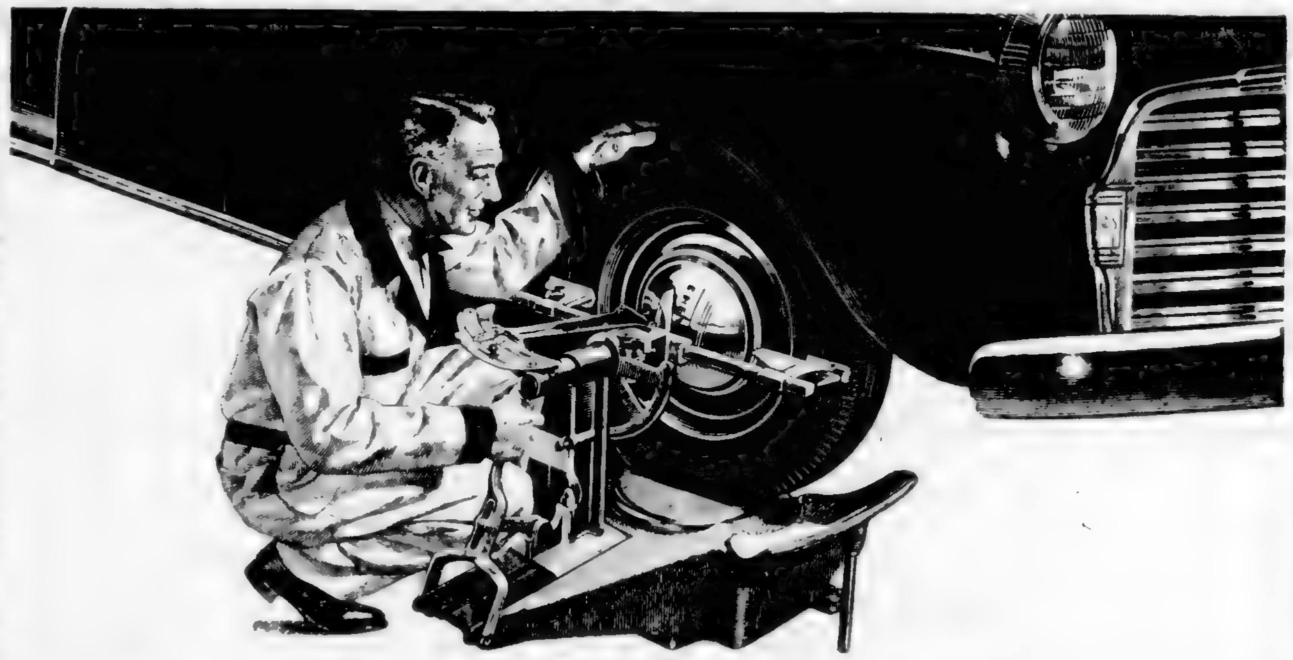
6.00 p.m.—Variety Programme, CBR
6.00 p.m.—Burns and Allen, KIRO
6.00 p.m.—Fibber McGee and Molly, KOMO
[illegible] p.m.—Captain Thompson, CJVI
[illegible] p.m.—Bob Hope, KOMO
[illegible] p.m.—Red Skelton, KOMO
[illegible] p.m.—Music from Montreal, CBR
[illegible] p.m.—You Can't Do Business With Hitler, CJVI
[illegible] p.m.—Music from the Pacific, CBR
[illegible] p.m.—Telequiz, CJVI
[illegible] p.m.—Al Jolson Show, KIRO

CJVI Newscasts

[illegible]

In addition, CJVI broadcasts [illegible] news resume every hour on the hour from [illegible]

B.B.C. broadcasts direct from London at [illegible] daily over CBR.



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Finance–Commerce–Markets

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, March 29 (AP).—The stock market made it seven rising sessions in a row today with numerous favorites touching new tops for about three years despite considerable profit-taking.

Rails and steels were out in front from the start. Farm implements, chemicals, aircrafts, oils, rubbers and motors achieved popularity. Dealings, fast in the forenoon, experienced occasional slowdowns after midday. While peak gains in many cases were reduced at the close, plus marks running to two points were widespread and there were a few jumps of six or so.

The Associated Press average of sixty stocks was up .8 of a point at 48.6 aided by a climb of six full points in J. I. Case at the best level since May 9, 1940. It was the second largest day's swing since early 1940. The rail composite hit the highest ledge since October, 1937. The session was one of the broadest in many years, 999 individual issues being traded. Of these, 674 were gainers, 150 lower and 175 unchanged. Transfers totaled 1,999,260 shares against 2,142,880 last Friday, which were the best in fifteen months.

Prominent on the forward thrust were Santa Fe, N.Y. Central, Southern Pacific, Great Northern, Northern Pacific, U.S. Steel, Bethlehem, Chrysler, U.S. Rubber, Sears Roebuck, Woolworth, International Harvester, Boeing, Douglas Aircraft, Glenn Martin, Hoestake, Dome Mines, Kennecott, Standard Oil (N.J.), Westinghouse, Allied Chemical, Dow Chemical, Johns-Manville and Eastmann Kodak.

DOW JONES AVERAGES

Thirty industrials, 136.10, up .15.
Twenty rails, 33.78, up .78.
Fifteen utilities, 18.00, up .00.
Total sales, 1,999,000 shares.

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	Close
Allied Chemicals	158
American Can	80½
American Tobacco	53½
American Smelter	45½
American Tel. & Tel.	141½
Anaconda Copper	29
Atchison Topeka	53¾
B. & O. Railway	7½
Baldwin Locomotive	17
Bendix Aviation	39½
Bethlehem Steel	67½
Boeing Aircraft	20½
Borden	23½
Borg Warner	33
Canadian Pacific Railway	8½
Cerro de Pasco	39
C. & O. Railway	42½
Chrysler	74¼
Con. Edison	18¾
Cont. Can	32½
Crucible Steel	34
Curtiss-Wright	9
Douglas Aircraft	67
Dupont	143½
Eastman Kodak	162
Flintkote	18¼
General Foods	39½
General Electric	36½
General Motors	49¼
Granby Copper	5¾
Goodrich, B.F.	37
Goodyear Tire	33½
Great West Sugar	26
Great Northern	29½
Howe Sound	38
Intl. Harvester	69
Intl. T. & T.	7½
Intl. Nickel	33½
Kennecott Copper	34½
Montgomery Ward	39½
Nash Kelvinator	8½
New York Central	16½
Pennsylvania Railway	30½
Phillips Pete	45
Pullman	34½
Radio	8¼
Republic Steel	17½
Reynolds Tobacco	28
Safeway Stores	36½
Standard Oil, New Jersey	52
Sears Roebuck	65
Studebaker	10½
Southern Pacific	22½
Texas Corpn	48½
Texas Gulf	39½
Union Carbide	84½
Union Oil California	19½
Union Pacific	92½
United Aircraft	34½
U.S. Rubber	38½
U.S. Steel	56½
Westinghouse Electric	93
Western Union	32
Woolworth	36½
Yellow Cab	17¼
United Fruit	60
U.S. Smelting	58
Zenith Radio	28½

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To producer:

Grade "A" large	.31
Grade "A" medium	.29
Grade "A" pullet	.26

Following are city wholesale:

Grade "A" large	.35
Grade "A" medium	.33
Grade "A" pullet	.30

Corporation Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Abitibi 5%, 1953	84.25	87.50
B.C. Pulp 6%, 1950	91.50	96.50
Brown Co. 5%, 1959	88.00	90.00
Calgary Power 5%, 1960	106.00	112.00
Canada Cement 4½%, 1951	102.50	106.50
Canada Steamship 5%, 1957	101.50	105.00
C.P.R. 3%, 1945	100.50	
C.P.R. 3½%, 1951	99.00	103.00
Dominion Tar 4½%, 1951	101.50	
Famous Players 4½%, 1951	101.00	104.50
Gatineau Power 5%, 1949	100.00	103.50
Maple Leaf 3½%, 1958	98.00	100.00
Massey-Harris 4½%, 1954	98.00	102.00
McColl-Frontenac 4½%, 1949	100.00	103.50
Shawinigan 4%, 1961	102.00	106.00
Simpson's, Ltd. 4½%, 1951	100.50	
United Grain Grwrs. 5%, 1948	99.50	102.50

Vancouver Stocks

VANCOUVER, March 29 (CP).—Golds were riding high today on the Vancouver Exchange. Oils remained quiet but firm. Trading closed at 18,000 shares.

Pioneer Gold was up 5 at 1.65 and Premier 3 at 80. Privateer climbed 2½ to 40 and Sunloch Mines 5 to 15.

East Crest Oil was up ½ at 11½.

(Mara, Bate & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
OILS		
Anaconda	.04	.06
Anglo-Canadian	.34	.35
A.P. Con.	.10	.15
C. & E. Corpn	1.35	
Commoil	.18	
Commonwealth	.23	.25
Davies Pete		.30
Eastcrest	.10½	.11½
Foothills	1.00	..
Highwood Sarcee	.09	
Home Oil	3.15	3.25
Madison	.03	
Mercury	.06	.07
McDougall Segur	.07	.08
Mill City	.06	.07
Model	.21	.25
National Pete	.06½	
Pacalta	.02½	
Pacific Pete	.26	.27
Royal Canadian		.04
Royalite	23.50	24.00
United Oil	.05½	.06
Vulcan	.20	.30
MINES		
Bayonne Cons.	.01½	.07
Bralorne	9.15	
Cariboo Gold	1.20	1.25
Golconda	.05	.07
Gold Belt	.17	.18
Grandview	.15	.16
Grull Wihksne	.04	.06
Hedley Mascot	.42	.45
Island Mountain	.70	.90
Kootenay Belle	.23	.25
Pacific Nickel		.12
Pend Oreille	1.80	
Pioneer	1.60	1.65
Premier Border	.02½	.03
Premier	.78	.80
Privateer	.39	.40
Reeves McDonald	.35	.50
Reno	.07	.08
Sheep Creek	1.00	1.03
Silbak Premier	.40	
Surf Inlet	.04	
Taylor Bridge	.02½	
Whitewater	.02½	.03½
MISCELLANEOUS		
Capital Estates	1.65	1.95
Coast Breweries	1.15	..
United Distillers	1.30	..

Montreal Stocks

(James Richardson & Sons)

	Bid	Asked
Abitibi Power & Paper	.75	.85
Alberta Pacific Grain		3
Associated Breweries	15½	
Bank of Montreal	159	160
Bank of Nova Scotia	257½	262
Bank of Toronto	240	250
Bathurst Paper "A"	12½	13½
B.C. Power "A"	25½	26
Bell Telephone	146	147½
Brazilian	17¼	17½
B.A. Oil	19½	20
B.C. Packers	18	
Building Products	12½	14
Canada Cement	4½	4¾
Canada Malting	38	39½
Can. Steamships	10½	11
Can. Steamships, Pfd.	34	34½
Canadian Bank of Commerce	129	132
Can. Breweries, Pfd.	32½	..
Can. Bronze	31½	
Can. Car & Foundry	8¼	9
Can. Car & Foundry, Pfd.	28½	29½
Can. Celanese	32½	33
Can. Celanese, Pfd.	135	138
Can. Industrial Alcohol "A"	4	4½
Canadian Pacific Railway	9	9¼
Cockshutt Plow	9½	10
Consolidated Bakeries	10½	11½
Distillers-Seagrams	27½	27¾
Dominion Bank	155½	
Dominion Bridge	26	26½
Dominion Glass	122	128
Dominion Stores	7½	8
Dominion Tar & Chemical	7	7½
Fanny Farmer	21	23
Fleet Aircraft	3½	4
Ford of Canada "A"	21½	22
Gatineau Power Co.	8½	9
General Steelwares	8½	9
Goodyear Tire	76	77
Gypsum Lime & Alabastine	5½	6
Hamilton Bridge	5½	5½
Imperial Bank of Canada	173½	..
Imperial Oil	12½	13
Intl. Nickel	39	39½
Intl. Pete	18½	18½
Intl. Utilities "A"	6	
Lake of the Woods Milling	23	25
Loblaw Groceteria "A"	19½	20
Massey-Harris, Com.	6½	7
Massey-Harris, Pfd.	16	16½
McColl-Frontenac Oil	6¼	6½
Montreal Power	25	25½
Moore Corpn	46½	
National Breweries	29	
National Steel Car	46	46½
Ogilvie Flour Mills	24	24½
Page Hersey Tubes	94	
Royal Bank of Canada	139	
Shawinigan Power	17	18
Steel Co. of Canada, Com.	68½	
Steel Co. of Canada, Pfd.	70	73
United Steel Corpn	4¾	5
Walker, G. & W.	50½	51
Walker, G. & W., Pfd.	20	20½
Western Canada Flour	3½	4½
George Weston	12½	13
Winnipeg Electric "A"	3	3½
Canadian Investment Fund		4.00

Grain Markets

WINNIPEG GRAIN

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
May	101⅛	101⅛	100½	100⅝
July	102	102⅛	101⅜	101½
Barley—				
May	..	..	..	64½
July	..	..	..	63⅞
Oats—				
May	..	..	..	b51½
July	..	..	..	b51½
Rye—				
May	..	..	..	b66⅛
July	..	..	..	b68⅛

Cash Grain

Wheat—	
No. 1 Northern	100⅝
No. 2 Northern	97
No. 3 Northern	93⅝
Track	100⅛
Oats—	
No. 2 C.W.	51½
Track	51½
Barley—	
No. 1 C.W.	62½
Track	62½
Rye—	
No. 2 C.W.	65½
Track	66½

CHICAGO GRAIN

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
May	144⅞	145	144⅛	145
July	143⅞	145⅛	144⅛	144⅞
Sept.	146⅛	146⅞	145⅞	146⅛
Corn—				
May				b101
July				b103
Sept.				b105
Oats—				
May	61⅛	63	61	61
July	61	61	61	61
Sept.	61½	61½	61	61
Rye—				
May	85½	85⅛	84½	84⅝
July	88	88⅛	87½	87¾
Sept.	92⅝	93	92⅝	92½

Provincial Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Alberta 4%, 1953	73.50	76.50
Alberta 5%, 1955	76.50	79.50
British Columbia 4%, 1957	111.75	114.00
British Columbia 4½%, 1953	113.75	116.75
British Columbia 3%, 1953	112.50	115.50
Manitoba 4½%, 1960	109.50	112.25
Manitoba 5%, 1958	112.50	115.50
New Brunswick 5%, (96)	112.50	115.50
Nova Scotia 5%, 1952	113.50	116.50
Ontario 4%, 1950	108.75	111.00
Quebec 4½%, 1953	106.25	109.25
Saskatchewan 4½%, 1951	94.00	100.00
Saskatchewan 5½%, 1952	97.00	100.00
Saskatchewan 5%, 1962	98.50	100.50

Foreign Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Argentina 4½%, 1971	85.75	89.75
Australia 4½%, 1956	81.00	87.00
Brazil 6½%, 1957	45.50	50.50
Buenos Aires 3%, 1984	55.00	59.00
Chile 6%, 1961	22.50	27.50
Colombia 6%, 1961	32.00	
Cuba 4½%, 1977	80.25	84.25
Peru 6%, 1961	18.00	21.00
Sydney 5½%, 1955	87.00	
Uruguay 4½%, 1978	68.00	72.00

Above prices in New York.

Report Decrease In Net Earnings

MONTREAL, March 29 (CP).—East Kootenay Power Company, Limited, today reported a decrease of $2,713 in February net earnings of $24,022, compared with net of $26,735 in 1942.

Gross earnings decreased $7,369 at $53,845 and operating expenses were down $4,656 at $29,823.

Net earnings for eleven months ended February 28 were $12,721 lower at $396,783.

Toronto Stocks

INDUSTRIAL SECTION

(Hagar Investments, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Associated Breweries	15	
Bathurst "A"	12½	13½
Bell Telephone	146	147½
Brazilian	17¼	17½
B.A. Oil	19½	20
B.C. Power "A"	25½	26
Canada Car & Foundry	8¼	8½
Can. Car & Foundry, Pfd.	29	29½
Can. Steamships	10½	11
Can. Steamships, Pfd.	34	34½
Can. Canners "A"	20½	22
Can. Canners "B"	11	11½
Can. Celanese	32½	33
C.P.R.	8½	9
Consolidated Smelters	43½	44
Distillers-Seagrams		27½
Dominion Bridge		26½
Dominion Steel & Coal "B"	8½	9
Ford of Canada "A"	21½	22
Gatineau	8½	9
Gatineau Pfd.	81	82½
Goodyear	76	77
Hiram Walker	50	50½
Hiram Walker, Pfd.	20	20½
Imperial Oil	12½	13
Intl. Nickel	39	39½
Intl. Petroleum	18½	18½
Loblaw "A"	19½	20
Loblaw "B"	18½	19
McColl-Frontenac	6½	6¾
McColl-Frontenac, Pfd.	99	100
Massey-Harris	6½	7
Massey-Harris, Pfd.	16	16½
Montreal Power	25	25½
National Breweries	29	
National Steel Car	46	46½
Ogilvie	24	24½
Shawinigan	17	18
Simpson's, Pfd.	93	94
Steel of Canada	68½	
Steel of Canada, Pfd.	73	75
United Steel	4¾	5
George Weston, Com.	12½	13
George Weston, Pfd.	98	99

Averages

Industrials, 106.91, up .81.
Golds, 32.82, up .34.
Metals, 75.06, up .00.
Oils, 22.06, up .13.
Sales, 480,000.

Dominion Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

			Bid	Asked
Dom. of Can.	3%	1944	101.75	102.75
	4½%	1944	104.25	105.50
	4%	1945	101.00	102.25
	4½%	1948	106.75	108.00
	3¼%	1949	102.25	103.50
	4%	1952	105.75	107.25
	4½%	1958	108.50	109.75
	4½%	1959	109.50	110.75
	3%	1955	99.50	100.75
	3¼%	1966	101.75	102.75
	5%	Perp.	94.00	95.25
	3½%	1949	102.50	103.75
	3%	1951	102.25	103.50
	3%	1958	99.50	100.50
1st War Loan	3½%	1952	103.25	104.25
2nd War Loan	3%	1952	100.25	101.50
1st Vcty. Loan	3%	1951	101.75	102.75
2nd Vcty. Loan	3%	1954	100.25	101.25
3rd Vcty. Loan	3%	1958	99.50	100.75
DOMINION GUARANTEES				
Can. Nat. Rly.	4½%	1951	120.75	122.50
	4½%	1957	122.75	124.25
	4½%	1955	124.25	126.00
July	5%	1969	118.25	119.75
Oct.	5%	1969	124.75	126.50
	5%	1954	117.25	118.50
	3%	1953	99.75	101.25
	3%	1944	101.50	102.50
	3%	1950	100.50	101.50
	3%	1959	99.00	100.25
Grand Trunk	5%	1962	105.25	106.75
	5%	1962	114.75	117.25

London Stocks

LONDON, March 29 (CP).—Stock closings, in sterling: Austin "A," 20s; Babcock & Wilcox, 50s 6d; Boots, 41s; Central Mining, £14 3-8; Consolidated Goldfields, 47s 6d; Courtaulds, 48s 9d; Crown, £8 7-8; De Beers, dfd., £17 3-8; East Geduld, £9; London-Midland, £29 1-2; Metal Box, 84s 6d; Mexican Eagle, 11s 9d; Mining Trust, 2s 9d; Rand, £7 1-16; Springs, 19s 3d.

Bonds: British 2 1-2 per cent Consols, £82 1-8; British 3 1-2 per cent War Loan, £105 7-8; British Funding 4's, 1960-90, £114 1-8.

Report Net Profit

MONTREAL, March 29 (CP).—McColl-Frontenac Oil Company, Limited, today reported net 1942 profit at $872,303, equal to 45.8 cents on the common stock, compared with $852,224 or 43.3 in 1941.

Operating profit was $4,558,226 against $4,726,164. Provision for taxes, including refundable portion, was $80,000 higher at $1,440,000. After charging net debit surplus items aggregating $390,514 and other deductions, earned surplus was reduced from $3,814,250 at $3,701,109.

Balance sheet showed current assets at $14,269,369 and current liabilities at $5,041,798.

C. W. Marshall Labor President

The Vancouver Island Joint Labor Conference, at a meeting during which officers for 1943 were elected, Sunday night called for a conference of all organizations in Victoria to discuss the fuel question.

With delegates expressing the view no improvement was foreseen in the wood and coal situation locally, the meeting decided to invite all organizations and associations in Victoria to send two representatives to a conference at an early date.

C. W. Marshall was elected president of the joint labor group for the year, with R. Merger as first vice-president; R. Williams, second vice-president; J. J. Walker, third vice-president, and L. Money, recording secretary. G. A. Wilkinson was returned secretary-treasurer.

The conference voted down a protest over chlorination of city water on learning the action was taken as a war measure.

The conference's continuing committee was instructed to carry on its efforts to secure wider amendment of the Workmen's Compensation Act, in view of the support accorded the committee on that question by unions throughout British Columbia.

Some parts of a modern torpedo are so small that they could be lost beneath a fingernail.

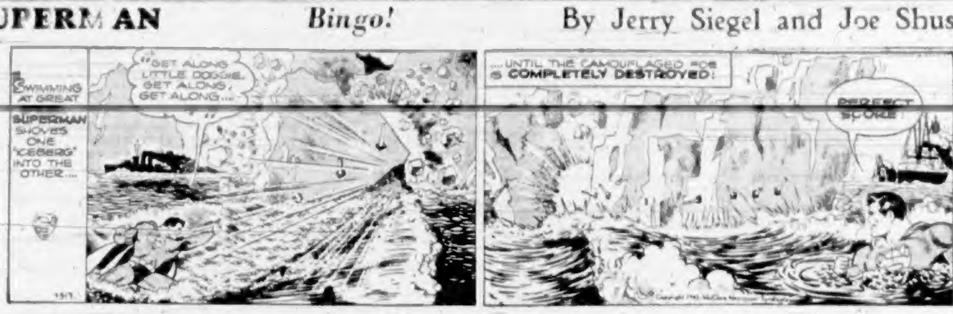
Stocks and Bonds

(A. E. Ames & Co.)

	Bid	Asked		Bid	Asked		Bid	Asked
Aluminum Pfd.	101½	101¾	Canadian Pacific Railway	8¾	9¼	Int. Nickel	38½	39
Bell Telephone	146	147	Cosmos Imp. Mills	..	25	Int. Petroleum	18	18½
B.A. Oil	19½	20	Con. Mining & Smelting	41½	44	Montreal L.H. & Power	24½	25½
B.C. Power "A"	25½	26	Cons. Paper	3½	3¾	Moore Corp.	46½	46½
Burlington Steel	..	10½	Dominion Steel & Coal "B"	8½	9	Nat. Steel Car	45½	45¾
Can. Car & Foundry Pfd.	28	..	Ford of Canada "A"	21½	22	Noranda		46¾
			Gatineau Power 5% Pfd.	83	83½	Shawinigan W. & P.	16½	17½
			Goodyear Tire	76	77	Steel of Canada	68	
			Imperial Oil	12½	13	Hiram Walker G. & W.	50	50½
			Imperial Tobacco	10½	..	Royal Bank	..	136½
			Int. Metal Indus. 6% Pfd.	94	99	Canadian Bank of Commerce	..	135
			Int. Metal Indus. "A"	..	12½			

LONDON (CP).—When children in the London Borough of Stepney were asked to write essays during Wings for Victory Week on "The Bravest Pilot I Have Read About" most of the girls chose the late Wing Cmdr. Paddy Finucane. The boys chose Wing Cmdr. Douglas Bader.

SUPERMAN — *Bingo!* — By Jerry Siegel and Joe Shuster



MARY WORTH'S FAMILY — By Dale Allen

POPEYE

MUTT AND JEFF — *And Plenty of Chicken at That* — By Bud Fisher

POP — *Close Work* — By J. Millar Watt

FLYIN' JENNY — *It's All Over!* — By Keaton and Chaffin

THE NEBBS — *Home But No Place to Live* — By HESS

BLONDIE — *She's the Practical Type* — By Chic Young

Business and Professional Directory, Want Ads

The Daily Colonist

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Two cents a word each insertion, twelve cents a word a week, with a minimum of ten words, cash with order. No advertisement accepted for less than twenty-five cents.

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Classified Ads for The Sunday Colonist will be accepted up to 9 p.m. on Saturdays.

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1 BIRTHS

CUMMING—At the St. Joseph's Hospital on March 29, to Sgt. D. W. Cumming (overseas) and Mrs. Cumming (nee Vera Gardner), a daughter.

GILMAN—To Mr. and Mrs. G. Gilman (nee Margaret Partington), at the Royal Jubilee Hospital on March 28, a son.

MORGAN—To Mr. and Mrs. W. Frederick Morgan (nee Pearl Gillie), of Dawson, Y.T., at St. Mary's Hospital on March 22, 1943, a son.

NANCARROW—To Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nancarrow (nee Gwen Fussle), of 882 Montrey Avenue, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital on March 27, a son.

PIDDINGTON—To Squadron Leader and Mrs. J. A. Piddington, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital on Saturday, March 27, a daughter.

2 DEATHS

BLACKSTOCK—There passed away at the family residence, 2150 Cadboro Bay Road, on March 27, 1943, Malcolm Blackstock, aged seventy-four years. The late Mr. Blackstock was born in Brodick, Scotland, and had been a resident of this city for the past fifty-four years. He retired from the police force fourteen years ago after serving for thirty years. For many years he served as a sergeant. He leaves to mourn his loss, his widow, Minnie Myrtle; one daughter, Mrs. K. H. Lewendon, of 2150 Cadboro Bay Road; one son, John Deans Blackstock, of 1510 Hillside; five brothers, Peter, in Glasgow, Scotland; Duncan, in Vancouver; John and James in this city; Lackland, in Duncan, V.I.; also two sisters, Mrs. H. Campbell, of Victoria, Mrs. John McDermaid, of Scotland, and one grandchild and several nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be conducted in McCall Bros. Funeral Chapel on Wednesday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock. Rev. Dr. J. R. Rowell will officiate. Interment will be made in the Colwood Burial Park.

CODDINGTON—There passed away Sunday, March 28, 1943, at the family residence, 1207 St. David Street, Arthur Dudley Coddington, in his seventy-eighth year, a native of Blackburn, England, and a resident of Victoria since 1917. He is survived by his widow, Anne Bartlett, at home; two sons, Dr. Rupert Dudley Coddington, now overseas, and Albert Howland Coddington, of Berkeley, Calif., and one daughter, Mrs. D. J. Hintz, of San Francisco; also seven grandchildren. Funeral service private. Hayward's B.C. Funeral Co., directors. (No flowers by request.)

DORMAN—On Monday evening, March 29, 1943, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. G. Cartwright, corner Marigold Avenue and Snowdrop Avenue, Marigold, there passed away Mrs. Jane Hamilton Dorman, aged eighty-three years, widow of the late W. H. Dorman, former Inspector of Postoffices for British Columbia. The late Mrs. Dorman was born in Bridge-of-Allan, Scotland, but came to Victoria in 1880, being one of Victoria's earliest pioneer citizens. Member of the Daughters of the Empire and former member of the executive board of the B.C. Protestant Orphanage Home. Survived by four sons, Mr. A. A. Dorman and Mr. O. H. Dorman, of this city (Capt.) Dr. A. J. Dorman with the Dental Corps attached to R.C.A.F. at Vancouver, and Mr. W. K. Dorman, Cornwall, Ont.; two daughters, Mrs. M. V. MacKenzie, Victoria, and Mrs. G. Cartwright, at Marigold. Funeral services will be held on Thursday, April 1, at 3.15 p.m. in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, the minister, Rev. J. L. W. McLean, officiating. Interment in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery. Hayward's B.C. Funeral Co., directors.

GIBSON—There passed away at the family residence, 221 Ontario Street, Victoria, on Friday, March 26, Rev. William Newton Gibson, aged eighty-one years, born in Lancashire, England, and a resident of Victoria for eight years. He was one of the many pioneer missionaries of British Columbia. For forty-five years Mr. Gibson ministered to the native people of this province, being stationed at Rivers Inlet, Victoria, Bella Coola, Kokshilah, near Duncan, and Bella Bella. Besides his widow, Isabel, he leaves to mourn his loss three sons, Wilfred and Garnet, in Victoria, and John in Powell River; five daughters, Mrs. J. R. Morrison, Mrs. R. V. Lowe, Mrs. E. H. Crawford, Mrs. O. G. Reed and Mrs. T. B. Horne, all in Victoria; also twenty-five grandchildren and thirteen great-grandchildren. The remains are resting at McCall Bros. Funeral Chapel and funeral services will be held on Tuesday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock in Metropolitan United Church, Rev. A. E. Whitehouse, D.D., will conduct the service, after which interment will be in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

2 DEATHS (Continued)

DEAN—On March 28, 1943, at the Vancouver General Hospital, John Dean, 872 Head Street, Esquimalt, aged ninety-two years; born in Stretton, Cheshire, England, and a resident of Victoria since 1884. Funeral from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Thursday at 2 p.m., Ven. Archdeacon ... officiating. Interment at Royal Oak. (No flowers by request.)

KERSEY—There passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital on Monday, March 29, 1943, Mrs. Emily Kersey, aged eighty-six years. The late Mrs. Kersey was born in Leeds, Yorkshire, England, and had been a resident of this city for the last thirty-three years, her late residence being 3717 Harriet Road. She is survived by five sons, Samuel Frederick and Charles H., of Los Angeles; William C., of Saanichton; Albert E., of Victoria, and Alec, of Australia; one daughter, Mrs. George Nott, of Australia; three sisters, two in London, England, and one in U.S.A.; also eight grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday at 1.30 o'clock in the chapel of the Sands Mortuary, Ltd. Rev. O. L. Jull will officiate. Cremation will take place at Royal Oak Crematorium. (Kindly omit flowers.)

KENT—At St. Joseph's Hospital on March 27, 1943, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Ross E. Kent, 815 Garbally Road. Funeral from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Tuesday. Interment in Ross Bay Cemetery.

KUNDAR—On March 27, 1943, at 721 Cloverdale Avenue, infant daughter of Kundar Lal and Ram Pari. Funeral was held from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Cremation at Royal Oak.

LIDDELL—On March 28, 1943, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Mrs. Ann Crawford Liddell, 750 Queens Avenue, widow of the late Thomas Liddell, in her seventy-fifth year, born in Ayr, Ayrshire, Scotland, and had lived in Victoria fifty-one years. Survived by three sons, James and Fred in Seattle, and Tom in Victoria; three grandchildren in Seattle, and two in Victoria. Funeral from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Wednesday at 3:15 p.m., Rev. H. A. McLeod officiating. Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park.

ORD—Suddenly on March 28, 1943, Henry Ord, of 921 Green Street, aged fifty years; born in Ashington, Northumberland, England, and a resident of Victoria for thirty years. He served overseas in the first Great War with the 67th and 102nd Battalion. He leaves his wife and two sons, Tom and Norman, at home. Funeral from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Tuesday at 2 p.m. Rev. G. H. Greenhalgh officiating. Interment in Colwood Burial Park.

PAUL—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital on March 29, 1943, Mrs. Ada Paul, widow of Dr. E. B. Paul, aged seventy-nine years; born in Alma, Ill., U.S.A., and a resident of Victoria for sixty-five years. Survived by one son, Alexander B. Paul, and one daughter, Mrs. N. H. Lord; also five grandchildren, all of Victoria. Strictly private funeral from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Wednesday. Interment in family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery. (No flowers by request.)

PERRY—There passed away at her residence, 2940 Orsham Street, on March 27, Mrs. Catherine Jane Perry, aged sixty-one years. She was born in Nanaimo and had been a resident of Victoria since 1939. She leaves to mourn her passing her husband, Charles, at home; four daughters, Mrs. Dennis Walter, Mrs. H. R. Bleasdale, Mrs. Willard Berger, and Miss Rita, all in Victoria; two sons, Thomas L. Perry, with the R.C.A.F. at St. Thomas, Ont., and Albert William Perry, at Queens University, Kingston, Ont.; also her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Manson, Nanaimo; one sister, Miss Margaret Manson, Nanaimo; three brothers, W. R., Ernest and Douglas Manson, all of Nanaimo, and five grandchildren. Funeral services from the Thomson Funeral Home on Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Rev. H. W. Kerley will officiate followed by cremation at Royal Oak.

SMITH—Passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital on March 27, William Alfred Smith, aged eighty-one years and a native of London, England. The late Mr. Smith had resided in Victoria for thirty-two years, his late residence being 330 Simcoe Street. He is survived by his widow and one son, George Sydney Smith, residing at the family residence. Funeral service will be held on Wednesday afternoon, March 31, at 2 o'clock, in the Thomson Funeral Home. Rev. F. Comley will conduct the service, with interment in the Colwood Burial Park.

SHARROCKS—On March 31, 1943, at St. Joseph's Hospital, William Sharrocks, of 203-A Cumos Road, aged sixty years; born in Lancaster, England, and a resident of Nanaimo for over thirty years. He was a member of the B.P.O.E. No. 26, of Nanaimo. The remains are resting in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, from where funeral cortege will leave at 2.15 p.m. on Wednesday for Royal Oak Burial Park, where B.P.O.E. Victoria Lodge No. 2, service will be held at graveside.

THOMAS—At the family residence, 132 Wellington Avenue, on March 28, 1943, James Edward Thomas, aged ninety years, born in Chelsea, Bruce County, Ont., and a resident of Victoria for fifty-seven years. He leaves one son, Dr. M. W. Thomas, of Vancouver, and two daughters, Mrs. G. A. Gardner, Victoria, and Mrs. Allan B. John, of Portland, Ore. Funeral from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Wednesday at 2 p.m., Rev. Dr. A. E. Whitehouse officiating. Interment in family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

WILLIAMS—There passed away accidently on Sunday, March 28, 1943, Mr. John Robert Williams, aged fifty-seven years. The late Mr. Williams was born in Neston, Cheshire, England, and had been a resident of this city for the past twenty-five years, his late residence being 591 Toronto Street. He is survived by three sisters, Mrs. Frank Hazelhurst, 2718 Rock Bay Avenue, and two sisters in England. Funeral services will be held in the chapel of the Sands Mortuary, Limited, on Wednesday, March 31, 1943, at 3 o'clock. Very Rev. Dean S. H. Elliott will officiate and interment will be in Royal Oak Burial Park.

WARK—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Friday, March 26, 1943, John Henry Wark, eldest son of the late John M. and Amelia Wark, born in Victoria, December 1, 1867. He leaves two sisters and one brother, Mrs. Vernon Creighton in Mexico City, Miss Charlotte and Charles L. Wark in Victoria. The remains are resting at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, where a private funeral will be held. Interment in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery. (No flowers, by request.)

YEN—The death occurred at St. Joseph's Hospital on March 28 of Joe York Yen, aged fifty-five years, born in China and a resident of Victoria for thirty-two years, survived by his family in China. Funeral service from the Thomson Funeral Home this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment in the Chinese Cemetery.

3 MARRIAGES

HOWARD-BALCOM—Mrs. R. J. Balcom, Franklin Terrace, announces the marriage of her daughter, Ruth Eleanor, to Lieut. S. F. Howard, R.C.A., son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Howard, Victoria. The wedding took place at St. Patrick's Church, Halifax, on March 17.

RAMEY-SMITH—A quiet wedding was solemnized at St. Mary's Church, Saint John, New Brunswick, on Tuesday evening, March 2, when Rev. W. C. V. Martin united in marriage Evelyn Kingera, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Ramey, of Los Angeles, Cal., and Nova Scotia, and Petty Officer Jack Cecil Smith, only son of Mrs. Smith and the late Mr. Andrew J. Smith, of Ganges, B.C.

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Since Death its gloom, its shadow cast
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We miss that light, and ever will,
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A REPUTATION FOR PAYING HIGHEST prices for rags, bottles, tools, stoves, furniture, or anything you wish to dispose of. We call anywhere, any time. B 2913.

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A COUNTRY HOME—LOVELY SURroundings, room, board, hiking, riding. Deane-Freeman, Three Dot Ranch, Langford. Belmont 48Y.

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ROOM AND BOARD FOR YOUNG MAN, willing to share. Single beds. Reasonable. G 8694.

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ROOM AND BOARD, PRIVATE HOME, business or service lady preferred. Phone G 7990.

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49 ROOMS TO RENT

49A FURNISHED

COMFORTABLY FURNISHED SINGLE bedroom in private home. Close to transportation. Suitable serviceman or businessman. B 3644.

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COMFORTABLE SINGLE BEDROOM, walking distance. Good transportation. Suitable business or serviceman. E 2644.

DOUBLE BEDROOM AND DINING-room with kitchen conveniences. Near Haultain bus and No. 10 car. E 6884.

LARGE SUITABLE ROOM, ACCOMODATE 3. No housekeeping privileges; near James Bay Park and sea. $4 per week. Box 5836, Colonist.

LARGE DOUBLE ROOM, NICE HOME, Fairfield; gentleman preferred. E 1860.

NICELY FURNISHED BEDROOM, SUITable business or serviceman. Phone E 3240.

49B UNFURNISHED

LARGE UNFURNISHED ROOM TO RENT, $10 a month. 738 Pisgard. Phone G 3615.

50 ROOMS WANTED

50B UNFURNISHED

TWO UNFURNISHED ROOMS REquired, Oak Bay; one on ground floor. G 4234.

51 HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

51A FURNISHED

COMFORTABLY FURNISHED HOUSEkeeping room, kitchenette. Suit business lady. 1508 Fernwood Road. Call after 12 noon.

COMFORTABLE LARGE FURNISHED housekeeping room and kitchenette, near sea and park. Suit quiet refined business or retired people. Box 6536, Colonist.

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FURNISHED LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING room at 112 South Turner Street.

LARGE FRONT ROOM, FURNISHED (light housekeeping); adults. 831 Superior.

TO RENT — LARGE BEDROOM WITH light housekeeping privileges, close in. Phone E 9482.

51B UNFURNISHED

TWO BRIGHT UNFURNISHED ROOMS, sea view. E 2426.

52 HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS WANTED

52A FURNISHED

WANTED—FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING room, immediately; reasonable rent. Walking distance. G 4742.

52B UNFURNISHED

WANTED—ONE UNFURNISHED HOUSEkeeping room for two at once. Phone B 1874.

53 FLATS AND APARTMENTS TO RENT

MODERN THREE-ROOM APARTMENT—Heat and water; adults only. $45. Suite 4, 622 Head Street.

TO RENT — HOUSEKEEPING ROOM, well furnished, hot water heating; also large well-furnished room with kitchenette. Both vacant March 30. 1728 Oak Bay Avenue.

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COUPLE WITH ONE CHILD WISH TWO or three-room suite, close in. E 9210.

NAVAL COUPLE WANTS SMALL FURnished suite. Phone G 1810.

RELIABLE COUPLE WANT PARTLY-furnished or furnished three or four-room suite or house. Phone E 9977. Ask for Mrs. O. Hiser.

THREE OR FOUR-ROOM UNFURNISHED suite or house by April 15. Adults. No children. B 2871.

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55 HOUSES TO RENT

55A FURNISHED

FREE RENT FIVE-ROOM FURNISHED house offered to respectable middle-aged Christian couple in return for looking after invalid owner occupying one room. Phone G 5550.

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57 WANTED TO RENT—HOUSES

FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED BUNgalow or house; good references. B 3744.

URGENT, BY APRIL 15, 3 OR 4-ROOMED house, furnished or unfurnished. Phone G 8357, after 10 a.m.

WANTED BY ELDERLY COUPLE, FOUR-room bungalow or two or three unfurnished rooms in private home, on ground floor, by May 1. E 6940.

WANTED, IN OAK BAY, BUNGALOW with two bedrooms, furnished or unfurnished, for three adults. Any period. Reasonable rent. G 7210.

57A FURNISHED

THREE OR FOUR-ROOM COTTAGE furnished or partly furnished, clean, walking distance Jubilee Hospital, by quiet couple. Box 6351, Colonist.

WANTED—FURNISHED FOUR OR FIVE-room house. Phone E 1368.

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A FIVE OR SIX-ROOM HOUSE WANTED. Gas area. Steady, reliable couple. Phone G 7628 after 5, or write Box 5614, Colonist.

BY GOOD TENANTS, PERMANENT residents, four bedrooms, Oak Bay, Fairfield preferred. F. G. Hood, 1161 McClure. G 6280.

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WANTED — BY APRIL 10, 5 TO 6-roomed house, unfurnished. Will pay up to $60 a month. G 7427.

$10 REWARD — INFORMATION LEADing to securing a four or five-room house. Careful tenant. Phone G 8902. Mr. Miller.

$5 REWARD — FOUR OR FIVE-ROOM house urgently needed. Phone B 2408.

58 OFFICES, STORES, HALLS TO RENT

TO RENT — STORE PREMISES, 740 Yates Street, between Dominion Hotel and Stobart Building. $125 per month. Charles E. Wilson, 516 Central Building. G 3331.

65 AUTOMOBILES

AUTO PAINTING, FENDER REPAIRS, expert work. Mooney's Body Shop, 914 Cormorant. E 4177 or E 5012.

65A FOR SALE

A 1936 PLYMOUTH FOUR-DOOR SEDAN—Knee action, floating power, hydraulic brakes, steel body, good tires, but good price .... $275. W. FRANK CAMERON AUTO PARTS, 931 View Street. Phone E 0632.

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A 1939 CHEVROLET COACH, EXCELlent condition, $695. Phone E 2595.

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65B WANTED

CASH FOR YOUR CAR FOR WRECKING. Cameron Bros., 1340 Craigflower. E 6508.

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ENGLISH CAR WITH GOOD TIRES. Will pay cash. Box 6283, Colonist.

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WANTED — 1941 CUSTOM DE LUXE Plymouth sedan, radio, heater, defroster, seat covers, etc., or similar car. B 1662 during day.

WANTED — AUSTIN, OR EXCHANGE model "A" for same. 3275 Seaton Road.

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ANCHORS, CHAINS, SHACKLES, MOORing buoys and Manila rope. Ship Chandlers (McQuade's), Ltd.

BOAT BUILDING AND REPAIRS. Agents for Kermath and Vivian engines. Armstrong Bros., 194 Kingston St. G 1813.

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75 BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

GOOD-PAYING LIVE BUSINESS, $4,000, including equipment and stock. Well worth investigating. Owner. Box 6474, Colonist.

GROCERY AND CONFECTIONERY FOR sale, owing to illness. Good Summer trade. Box 6497, Colonist.

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75 BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES (Continued)

1200 ITEMS—1200 BLOCK, DIGGON'S

76 EXCHANGE—REAL ESTATE

FOUR-ROOM MODERN BUNGALOW, Gorge district, and cash for 5 or 6-room bungalow. Private. Box 6043, Colonist.

WON'T SELL—WILL EXCHANGE

OWNER OF MODERN AND ATTRACtive five-room stucco bungalow wants a slightly larger house, with three bedrooms; kitchen must be equipped for electric range; good up-to-date plumbing; good basement and heating system; Oak Bay preferred; value up to $5,500. His present house has large living-room with fireplace, dining-room, two good bedrooms, well-equipped cabinet kitchen, bathroom with built-in tub, basement with car accommodation and drum-type hot-air furnace. Fifty-foot lot. Adjoining lot can be bought cheap. Taxes $72. Valued at $4,000. Clear title can be given.

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A CHOICE AND WELL-CONSTRUCTED eight-room residence. Cost $8,000 to build today, for only .... $4850. Two bathrooms (complete), hardwood floors, two open fireplaces, built-in features. Excellent basement cemented, furnace, cement walks, shrubbery, lawns. High location. Early possession.

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EIGHT ROOMS AND BATHROOM—A bungalow-type home, six rooms and bathroom on the first floor, two extra rooms up. Full cement basement, furnace, garage. Several fireplaces; pantry, sunroom, etc.

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FAIRFIELD, FEW YARDS FROM BEAcon Hill Park—Well-built seven-room semi-bungalow, living-room, fireplace, dining-room, four bedrooms, kitchen, 3-piece bathroom. Garage. Full cement basement, furnace. Quiet residential district. Price $3150

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PRICE $3500

OWNER OCCUPIED—WE CONSIDER THIS A GOOD BUY

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GOOD BUY—THREE LOTS, CLOSE IN, near transportation. E [illegible]

SOOKE SOOKE SOOKE. Properties of All Descriptions Listed. ALFRED CARMICHAEL & CO., LTD.

81 PROPERTY WANTED

WANTED—GOOD GARDEN LOT, OAK Bay preferred, near city limits. Cheap for cash. Box 6459, Colonist.

84 ACREAGE WANTED

WANTED — SMALL TRACT ACREAGE, timber suitable for fuel. Consider buying or cutting stumpage basis; close to Victoria. Box 6403, Colonist.

WANTED — ACREAGE WELL TIMbered or timber for wood. [illegible] E 8287.

LAND REGISTRY ACT
Section 160

IN the matter of Part of Section 13, Esquimalt District: Commencing at a post on the north boundary of said section, distant 75 links westerly from high water mark; thence westerly along said north boundary for 17.13 chains to the north-east corner of Parcel "C" of said section; thence southerly at right angles and following the east boundary of said Parcel "C" for 7.14 chains; thence easterly at right angles for 12.109 chains, more or less, to high water mark; thence northeasterly following said high water mark to an intersection with the production easterly of the north boundary of said section, and thence westerly for 75 links to the point of commencement, containing 11 acres, more or less, as shown outlined in red on plan deposited under 26846-I and to which parcel of land the Registrar has assigned the distinguishing letter "A."

Proof having been filed in my office of the loss of Certificate of Title No. 110646-I to the above mentioned land, in the name of Laura Marion Mitchell and bearing date the 19th day of August, 1938, I hereby give notice of my intention, at the expiration of one calendar month from the first publication hereof, to issue to the said Laura Marion Mitchell a Provisional Certificate of Indefeasible Title in lieu of such lost Certificate.

Any person having any information with reference to such lost Certificate of Title is requested to communicate with the undersigned.

Dated this 19th day of March, 1943, at the Land Registry Office, Victoria, British Columbia.

R. N. C. HEMBEROW, Deputy Registrar, Victoria Land Registration District

LAND REGISTRY ACT
Section 160

IN THE MATTER OF Parcel "C" (D.D. 12598-I) and Parcels 46 and 47 (shown colored red on plan deposited under D.D. No. 1435) of Lot 4, Malahat District.

Proof having been filed in my office of the loss of Certificate of Title No. 79195-I to the above-mentioned land, in the name of Isla Adams and bearing date the 4th day of September, 1928.

I hereby give notice of my intention, at the expiration of one calendar month from the first publication hereof, to issue to the said Isla Adams a Provisional Certificate of Indefeasible Title in lieu of such lost Certificate.

Any person having any information with reference to such lost Certificate of Title is requested to communicate with the undersigned.

Dated this 17th day of March, 1943, at the Land Registry Office, Victoria, British Columbia.

R. N. C. HEMBEROW, Deputy Registrar, Victoria Land Registration District

GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR BEER LICENCE

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 9th day of April next the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for a licence in respect of premises being part of a building known as The Coach and Horses Hotel, situate at 1342 Esquimalt Road, Esquimalt, B.C., upon the lands described as Part of Lot 30, of Suburban Lots 37 and 46, Esquimalt District, Plan 3854, and Lot 1, of Suburban [illegible] toria Land Registration District, in the Province of British Columbia, for the sale of beer by the glass or by the bottle for consumption on the premises or elsewhere.

Dated the 9th day of March, 1943.

Signed, COACH & HORSES HOTEL COMPANY, 1941, LIMITED. Per WILLIAM H. SMITH, Director.

This application is not for a new beer licence, but owing to the acquisition of the present Coach and Horses Hotel by the Dominion Government for war purposes, the Company has been required to move to the premises above described.

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CLOSE IN

BUNGALOW, SIX ROOMS, towards Esquimalt. Suit shipyard worker. Can be used as duplex. New roof, new stucco. Good lot. Taxes $40. $800 cash handles, balance $35 per month. Full price. $2400

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ABOUT EIGHT ACRES on high elevation overlooking lake. Commodious house of eight rooms and bathroom. Hot air heating, garage. Plenty of water. Gardens, fruit trees, etc. Would make excellent guest house. Will lease for one year or sell for $6000

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JAMES BAY—Five-Room Cottage with three-piece bathroom. Small lot. Quick possession. CASH $1350

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SAANICH—Choice Modern Four-Room Stucco. Two years old. Near bus. Utility room. Garage. Quick possession. $1,000 cash. Price $2150

JAMES BAY—Five-Room Bungalow. Three-piece bathroom. Garage. Near V.M.D. $735 cash. Price $2150

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VICTORIA WEST—Six Rooms. Basement, furnace. Possession about May 15. Terms with $500 cash $2500

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NORTH OF SIDNEY—Four-room bungalow. Cedar siding. ONE ACRE. Good vegetable garden. Family orchard. Taxes $7. Asking $2250

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Five minutes' walk from Gorge bus. A delightful, secluded site of over one acre. Lots of room for a Victory garden. FIREWOOD FOR YEARS AT YOUR BACK DOOR. Modern five-room stucco bungalow with a large living-room. Part basement, furnace and garage. Price $4200

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A five and a six-acre parcel. Inside three-mile circle on Blenkinsop Road. Mostly good land, well treed, firs and oaks. Low taxes. Easy terms. Small down payment and balance like rent. Your chance to buy land close in at a bargain. DON'T PASS IT UP.

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GOOD SEMI-BUNGALOW of seven rooms. Two bedrooms and bathroom down; three rooms up (suitable for a flat). Basement, tubs, furnace, garage; 1½ lots. Half block from car line. Easy distance of naval and shipyards. IMMEDIATE POSSESSION. Priced for quick sale at (TERMS) $2400

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FIVE TO FIFTEEN ACRES—Part cleared and under cultivation. Improvements required, house, barn, etc. Within ten to fifteen miles of city. Please submit particulars to us. A fair demand exists for small holdings. If your price is right it should sell.

FAIRFIELD BUNGALOW

COOK STREET, opposite the park—A fine large semi-bungalow with one bedroom and bathroom down, three bedrooms and bathroom up. Charming living-room and dining-room, both with good oak floors; den. Hot water furnace. Half block from sea; 70-foot lot. Ideal for large family or duplex. Going for $4900

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SUPERIOR RESIDENCE, RECENTLY built, near transportation. Reception hall, living-room, den, dining-room, modern kitchen with nook, two bedrooms and bathroom on ground floor. Upstairs, two bedrooms, bathroom. Splendid value at $7500

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CONSISTING OF TEN ROOMS. PRESent revenue $100 per month. Suite for owner in addition. The house is well furnished, hot water heat, gas plates in several rooms; excellent garden. Near transportation. Price includes all furniture and equipment .... $4200. Reasonable terms to reliable party.

FAIRFIELD

SEMI-BUNGALOW CONTAINING LIVing-room with open fire, large dining-room, den or extra bedroom, kitchen, wired for electric range. Three large bedrooms and bathroom upstairs. This property is in excellent condition, owner occupied, and is within walking distance of town. On terms at $3150

JAMES BAY

ATTRACTIVE 7-ROOM FAMILY dwelling, with full cement basement, piped furnace, good garden. This would make a good rooming house. The owner would consider a smaller house as part payment. His price has been reduced for quick sale to $2850

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Eight-room home, suitable for duplex or triplex. Just outside one-mile circle. Taxes approximately $7 per month. Good revenue possibilities. $1,500 cash handles on a price of $3500

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Gentleman's home of seven rooms. Beautifully landscaped. 3½ acres, overlooking Saanich Arm. Two chicken houses and a grade "A" barn for eight cattle. Electric pump. Good transportation and fishing $6500

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DEAN HEIGHTS—Four-room stucco bungalow. Rented at present to a good tenant for $27.50 per month. Terms are $1,400 cash and assume mortgage of $1,000. TOTAL PRICE .... $2400. Please Call MR. SMITH

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SPEED'S

OAK BAY

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An exceptionally splendid bungalow in an ideal setting. Cosy living-room, dining-room and three bedrooms, all on one floor. Modern kitchen with tiled sink. Pembroke bathroom. Full cement basement. Lovely garden with lawns, shrubs and fruit trees. One and a half lots. Exclusive listing $8000

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IMMEDIATE POSSESSION

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Close to the Avenue. Attractive 6-room bungalow, newly decorated, with tile sink and new linoleum in the kitchen, also modern gas range. All nice rooms. Two fireplaces. Full basement, garage, furnace, etc. Large lot prettily landscaped.

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SELECT

Charming 7-room modern home, built in 1939 on a corner lot with a lovely garden. The house has Oil-o-Matic heating and is very well planned with large living-room, dining-room, den, kitchen and workroom downstairs. Three nice bedrooms, a dressing-room and bathroom upstairs. Taxes only $83. A bargain at, only .... $8400. Terms

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WILL TRADE

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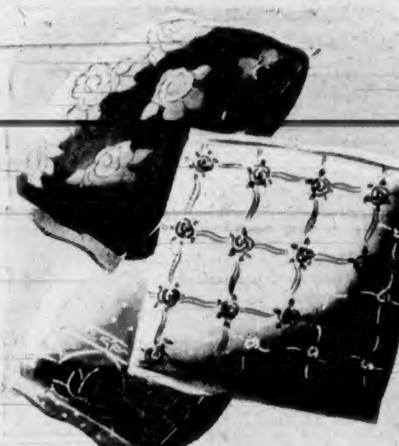

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"The Boy From Maine"

By KATHARINE BRUSH

CHAPTER LXII

And there it is, his mind kept saying to him. This was a long time later—several hours, and many drinks, and many bars later. "It's a good thing this is Sunday night," he said to Bonnie. "Don't have to go to work on Sunday night. And there it is."

"There what is?" Bonnie asked [illegible] ing that."

"Do I? Monotonous fellow. Always was. That's the whole trouble."

"Still," Bonnie said, "I'm glad you called me up. I was just sitting in that darn hotel without a thing to do. And I was thinking about you, too," said Bonnie. "That's the funny thing. I was thinking it's been a long time since you took me out—and wondering what the matter was. And the phone rang."

"Ping," said Hobey.

"What?"

"Skip it. Sound effect, is all. Go on with your fascinating story."

Bonnie eyed him suspiciously, and she said, "Is that a dirty crack? It sounds like one." She looked aggrieved, and added plaintively, "What's the matter with you anyway? What did you call me up at all for, if you were going to act this way?"

He didn't know himself why he had called her; and he wished he hadn't. Glutton for punishment, he told himself. Everything she did and said was irritating to him beyond reason. Her shrill arrival was the first thing, and she had been at it ever since. She bossed the waiter, like an empress talking to a slave. She ordered Scotch and ginger ale—an inexcusable combination. There were French rolls in a basket on a red-checked tablecloth, and Bonnie was no sooner seated than she began tearing one apart, dissecting it into small pieces, even before any butter was brought. The table was a mess of crumbs in a minute. Bonnie planted both elbows in these, then found herself uncomfortable, and brushed the crumbs from the elbows with her hands. Water was brought in goblets, and she had already imprinted hers with a decalcomania of lipstick.

"You didn't answer my question," Bonnie said complainingly. "I asked you what was the matter with you? You're in such a funny mood tonight."

"Yeah. Funny as hell. Let's talk about something else," Hobey said. "Let's wonder where they got this rotgut whisky, and whether it'll kill us. Skol," he added, and emptied his glass at one gulp.

"You don't seem to mind it too much," Bonnie said.

"Drink enough of it and you don't mind anything," Hobey said, "—much. Or so the rumor goes."

He beckoned the waiter. "Another double hair tonic," he said amiably; and the waiter, also amiable, said, "Yes, sir."

Bonnie said, "If you don't like it why do you drink it?"

"To get drunk. I thought we covered that point."

"I've never seen you drunk," she said with interest.

"There's a treat in store for you, then, baby," Hobey said. "Tonight's your night."

It seemed to amuse her, and she said, "Do you really get bad? What do you do when you're drunk?"

"I'm marvelous," he said. "I know all the answers. I'm so lucid it would frighten you to death. It does me. Do you know anything about roots?" he said suddenly. "Roots go down very deep, it seems."

"What?" Bonnie said blankly. "Say, what are you talking about?"

"Shall I spell it?" he said. "It's quite a simple word."

"But what the hell made you think about roots?" Bonnie said wonderingly. "Right out of a clear sky?"

"Like a bolt from the blue, you mean."

"Well, what did?"

"The human mind is very strange," Hobey said. "Let's order something to eat, shall we? How's that lusty appetite of yours—okay?"

"I wish you wouldn't keep reminding me that I'm a hick."

"Since I'm one myself, I don't see why."

"You're not, though. You got all over being one years ago. You've really made a lot of yourself, Hobey. I hope I do."

"Yeah, it's a fine thing," he said. "It gets you places, no doubt about that. Also it gives you delusions of grandeur, and you think you're quite a fellow. And then you get ideas, and aspirations, and then . . . Socko! And that's that. Skol," he said again, and again drank.

It was a year and a half later that the market crashed; and in the long aftermath of that event Rosalie's life changed completely. Her own market losses were tremendous; wiping out in two days all her inheritance from Phillip Strange—all that embarrassment of riches. To cover margins her own money also went, and it appeared that there wouldn't be any more where that came from; her father was no better off. During the ensuing years of the depression, his leather factories closed one by one till only the main factory in Brockton was operating, and that only part time.

(To Be Continued)

R.C.A.F. Casualties

OTTAWA, March 29 (CP). — The R.C.A.F. in its 535th casualty list of the war issued tonight reported one man killed on active service overseas and five men missing after overseas air operations. Following is the latest list of casualties:

Overseas—Killed on active service: Sgt. Cameron Charles Gamble, Regina. Previously reported missing, now reported killed on active service, Sgt. Leo John Labarge, Ottawa. Missing on active service after air operations: P.O. Thomas Simpson Briggs, Venn, Sask.; J16258 P.O. Douglas McBeath, Douglas McBeath (father), Golden, B.C.; P.O. Walter Norman Pleasance, Toronto; Sgt. Joseph Jean Charles Arpin, Montreal; Sgt. Joseph Elzear Saul Sasseville, St. Fabien de Panet, Montmagny County, Que.

Previously missing on active service, now reported prisoner of war: Sgt. Archie Melrose Reid, Maymont, Sask. Previously reported missing, believed killed, on active service, now for official purposes presumed dead: Sgt. Clarence Franklin Lloyd, Granby, Que. Previously reported missing, on active service, now for official purposes presumed dead: P.O. Robert MacFarlane Graham, Ottawa; J16066 P.O. Victor Nelson Salmon, F. G. Salmon (father), 2869 East Fourteenth Avenue, Vancouver.

Canada — Previously reported dangerously ill, now reported to have died as a result of injuries sustained on active service: L.A.C. J. W. Bennet, Bristol, England. Died from natural causes: Cpl. Albert William Watson, Edinburgh, Scotland.

Here Tomorrow

JESS V. SAPP

President of Washington State and British Columbia Aerie, F.O.E., who will arrive in the city tomorrow from Seattle. During his stay here he will confer with officials of Victoria Aerie No. 12, and tomorrow evening will address a session of the local aerie at the Eagles Home, View Street. A special induction class is being arranged simultaneously with his first visit to the Victoria aerie.

Merchant Ship Sunk

WASHINGTON, March 29 (AP). — A medium-sized Norwegian merchant vessel was torpedoed and sunk by an enemy submarine late in February in the mid-Atlantic, the United States Navy announced today and survivors have been landed at Boston.

Shipbuilder of Note Passes at Rosario Estate

Robert Moran Wed Girl From Victoria

SEATTLE, March 29 (AP).—Robert Moran, eighty-six, owner and builder of the fabulous "Rosario" estate on Orcas Island near Seattle, and mayor of Seattle during the disastrous fire of 1889, died Saturday at Rosario. He was a noted shipbuilder before his retirement, and in 1904 completed the battleship Nebraska.

Robert Moran was born in New York City, January 26, 1857. He was on his own resources at the age of fourteen and at seventeen bought a steerage ticket to San Francisco via the Isthmus of Panama. Unable to find work, he spent his last $15 for a ticket to Puget Sound.

He landed, in November, 1875, on Seattle's only ocean wharf, without credit, without money and with no friends or relatives nearer than New York City. Someone staked him to his first breakfast in Seattle.

He found work, trimming coal at $2 for a twelve-hour day; finally drifted into steamship employment on coastal vessels as deckhand, fireman, chief engineer.

In after years he was proud that he held the oldest United States and British Columbia engineer's licence in existence.

In 1882, with $1,600 savings, he started a marine repair shop in Seattle. By 1904 it had been expanded into the largest on the Coast. His company's last and greatest project was the complete construction of the battleship Nebraska, delivered to the United States Navy in 1906.

Due to his failing health, Moran sold his business and retired to his now-famous Orcas Island estate—"Rosario." It was developed and built according to his own plans, and included his own woodworking and machine shops.

About 1914, he gave the State of Washington the 5,000-acre Moran State Park on the island, and spent much money on its development and improvements.

He was mayor of Seattle from 1888 to 1890 and was state director of the Public Service Reserve during the first Great War.

He was a member of many technological societies.

He wed Miss M. E. Paul, of Victoria, B.C., in 1882. They had five children: John M., Frank G., Malcolm E., Nellie M. and Mary R. (Wood) Moran.

Tale Tall But True

LONDON, March 29 (CP). — Mice have a habit of finding their way into unusual places, but when a mouse gets into your hair thousands of feet over France, well . . .

P.O. Howard Macdonald, of Sydney Mines, N.S., an R.C.A.F. fighter pilot, is author of this tall but true tale. During an R.C.A.F. sweep he felt something scratching his head. When he squirmed and shook his head the scratching turned to bites.

Puzzled, he clapped his hands over his helmet and discovered a mouse inside.

The mouse wasn't used to the high altitude and at 18,000 feet the scratching and biting stopped—the little fellow died of lack of oxygen.

Inquiry Into Loss Of Northolm Opens

VANCOUVER, March 26 (CP).—Charges that the coastal steamer Northolm was unseaworthy by reason of the way the cargo was placed on the deck and not properly battened down were made by G. Fraser, representing the Department of Justice, as inquiry opened into the foundering of the ship January 16 off Northern Vancouver Island with loss of fifteen lives.

Mr. Fraser also contended the ship was overloaded. He said she took on 1,800 gallons of oil and 11.38 tons of halibut meat at Port Edwards, and 336 tons of wood sulphide at Port Alice. An additional 35.7 tons of wood sulphide loaded at Port Alice were stored on the hatch covered by tarpaulins.

Mr. Fraser said the Northolm left Port Alice at 1:30 a.m. on January 16. Between 4 and 8 a.m. she developed a slight list which the mate attributed to the wind, but off Cape Scott the list increased and finally the ship had to be abandoned.

Alfred John Squire, shipbuilder on loan from the steamship inspector's department, said he inspected the Northolm in March, 1942, and found her in good condition. In reply to a question, he said he was satisfied the vessel was seaworthy.

Military Activities

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